

ROUND-THE-WORLD SPEED RECORD ATTEMPT STARTS

Nanaimo Firemen Prevent Second Big Conflagration

Equipment Rushed From Small Blaze to Centre of Residential Area to Check Early Morning Blaze; One Home Is Destroyed and Another Damaged While Several Houses Are Endangered; Prompt Work of Firemen Praised.

Special to The Times
Nanaimo, Aug. 2.—What threatened to be the second serious conflagration in Nanaimo within two weeks was averted early this morning by prompt action of firemen in rushing away from a small blaze to check a fire in one of the well settled areas of the city.

The residence of Charles W. Hughes, 112 Fry Street, was gutted by the fire, which broke out at 3 o'clock. Damage was done to the home of Fred Hannay, 614 Halliburton Street.

Firemen hurried from a blaze on Pine Street to prevent a repetition of the recent catastrophe. Realizing the peril from the flames in the thickly populated area, the fire chief dispatched all available equipment to the scene and the fire was brought under control within a short time.

With the Hughes family absent at camp in Departure Bay, the flames had gained a firm hold on the wooden structure when the firefighters arrived. Only a desperate fight saved the Hannay residence from destruction, while a number of other homes were in imminent danger, and several small blazes, caused when the Hughes house collapsed, were extinguished through efficient work of the firemen.

DRUGGISTS WILL FIGHT EIGHTY CENT WAGE RULE

Court Proceedings to Be Taken Forthwith to Upset Minimum Wage

The druggists of British Columbia will contest in the courts the ruling of the Minimum Wage Board setting a basic hourly wage of 80 cents for licentiates in pharmacy.

Leading Victoria druggists this morning announced that immediate steps to prevent the new scale will be initiated in Vancouver, as the new scale is scheduled to become effective on September 1.

Establishment of a scale of 85 cents per hour would be followed by a drastic reduction in the number of licentiates in pharmacy employed in this Province, their places being taken by apprentices. Ordinary sales clerks would be more generally employed at wages paid unskilled help, to offset the increased remuneration which will be earned by the few licentiates employed, it was pointed out.

Leading drug store proprietors expressed confidence that the ruling of the Minimum Wage Board could be upset on grounds of improper increases allowed, and agreed that, failing success before the courts, many licentiates in pharmacy would be seeking employment in other lines.

Local druggists expressed reluctance to be quoted, because labor organizations would initiate measures against drug stores openly contesting the board's ruling. Description of licentiates' salaries as hourly wages, instead of as monthly salaries, had the effect of aligning labor with the licentiates against the store owners, it was considered.

WOMAN CHEWS EAR OFF HOST DURING PARTY

Toronto, Aug. 2.—George Wilko, local citizen, has been convinced the female is the more dangerous of the species. Last night he gave a party at his home, and the guests, it is alleged, drank freely. One woman is said to have become intoxicated, and when Wilko tried to put her out, she turned on him and chewed one ear completely off.

TWENTY-TWO FOREST FIRES IN NORTHERN SASKATCHEWAN

Canadian Press
Prince Albert, Sask., Aug. 2.—With sighting of three additional fires today in the northern Saskatchewan region close by the Churchill River, it is known at least twenty-two fires are burning between Ile a la Crosse Lake and Pelican Narrows. A twin-motored flying boat which came from the east

SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS VOTE ON 100 PER CENT. GRAIN POOL

Canadian Press
Regina, Aug. 2.—Ballots in connection with the proposed 100 per cent pool have been sent out to all Saskatchewan wheat pool growers who are shareholders and under current contract.

Growers are asked to vote on the question or whether they are in favor of or opposed to the Board of Directors asking the Government to have a grain marketing act passed, which would provide that all grain grown in Saskatchewan should be marketed through the pool, with the following provisions:

1. That a special referendum of all

WINS PLANE DERBY



LEE GIBBS
when he landed his plane on his return to Detroit yesterday, was declared winner of the All-American Air Derby of 2,500 miles and the first prize of \$15,000.

NEW WHEAT BILLING

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Aug. 2.—Hercule Barre, Canadian Trade Commissioner at Paris has called the Department of Trade and Commerce that the French Government has authorized by special decree the use of ten per cent of foreign wheat in the making of bread flour instead of three per cent as was permitted formerly.

Fin of Dirigible R-100 Is Repaired By Crew

Great Patch Made at Plant in Montreal Laced Into Place as British Airship Rides at St. Hubert Mast

Canadian Press
St. Hubert Airport, Que., Aug. 2.—Repairs to the damaged dirigible R-100, were well under way at noon today. The huge patch to replace the fabric torn when the ship struck heavy weather near Father Point, Que., while en route here from Cardington, Eng., was constructed at the Canadian Vickers Limited plant in Montreal and arrived shortly before noon.

The patch will be placed in position and laced to the damaged fabric. The patch was purposely made oversize, according to officials here being 480 square feet. The problem of lacing the patch in position was overcome, it was stated.

Part of the lacing can be done from the inside of the envelope, with the final process being completed by men who will be lowered in hoists' chains from each side of the fin.

They will work toward each other, pulling themselves closer by means of a connecting rope between the two chairs.

Since the ship is more than 200 feet above the ground while anchored to the mooring mast, this may appear a foolish proposal, but the danger is discounted by members of the crew who are to tackle it.

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CABINET STAND ON MASSEY CASE NOW AWAITED

Question of Ratification of Appointment By New Federal Ministry Raised

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Aug. 2.—The decision of Hon. R. B. Bennett and his new Cabinet will make as to whether or not Hon. Vincent Massey is to go to London as High Commissioner for Canada is eagerly awaited. Constitutional lawyers, when approached as to what action should be taken, declined to express opinion on the ground it was a matter of policy, not one governed by any constitutional provision.

Lord Strathcona was appointed by a Conservative Government and when the Laurier Government came into power he was retained and remained in office throughout its long term of power. The return of the Borden Government brought no change.

When the King Government came into power in 1921, Sir George Perley was High Commissioner in Great Britain, and Sir George at once called Mr. King, asking to be permitted to resign his post as soon as it would be convenient for the new government to appoint a new High Commissioner.

One of the leading Conservatives here, to-day took the view there was a difference between a man established in a position and who had all the information to give him an advantage in carrying on and that of a man who has not yet taken over the position.

The appointment of the High Commissioner of Canada in London is for an indefinite period, during life or during pleasure, it was explained.

MAN KILLS EMPLOYEE'S FAMILY
Narvik, Romania, Aug. 2.—Police today arrested a farm laborer for the killing of his employer, his employer's wife and their five children. The authorities said he had confessed.

FLOOD OF NEWS BENNETT IS AT CABINET TASK AT WEEK-END

Feeling in Ottawa To-day Is Described as One of Restless Expectancy

Country Awaits Announcement of Members of the New Ministry

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Aug. 2.—With a new Federal ministry in the making, political circles in the capital present a picture of restless expectancy over the week-end. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, is sure to give very serious and more or less extended consideration to the selection of the men who will form his cabinet. The political future of many a supporter will be decided for or against during the next few days.

Meanwhile stalwarts of the party are reaching Ottawa from far-flung battle lines to be in readiness to offer advice to their chief when they may be called upon. It is a weighty task to form a government in a country so divergent in its interests and so cosmopolitan in its population as Canada.

TRANSFER OF DUTIES
Most of the ministers of the King government are now in the capital making preparations to vacate the positions they have occupied. There is much routine to be carried out in order that their successors may be able to pick up the strings of tasks unfinished by the retiring government.

Mr. Bennett is expected to remain in Ottawa over the week-end and Premier King will probably divide his time between Laurier House, his summer home at Kensington, and his office in the East Block.

NUMBER HURT DURING CLASH IN BOMBAY

Police Say They Injured Fifty Gandhists; 300 Hurt, Declare the Nationalists

Police Charge When Crowd Attempts to March Into Forbidden District

Bombay, Aug. 2.—Civil disobedience volunteers estimated by the police at fifty and by Nationalist leaders at 300 were injured by the sticks of police as they attempted to rush into the forbidden fort area here this morning.

Yashwantrao Chavan, president of the All-Indian National Congress, Pandit Malviya, president of the Congress working committee, and four other leaders were arrested in connection with the demonstration and charged with participating in an unlawful assembly.

After the leaders had been arrested the volunteers were ordered to disperse. Most of them did so, but 300 or 400 attempted to enter the forbidden district and the police charged.

LED BY WOMAN
The trouble started yesterday when volunteers, led by Mrs. Hansa Mehta, president of the Bombay Congress committee, attempted to march to the sea through the fort business area. When they were prevented from proceeding by the police, they had been followers to sit down in the road. Then a contest of patience began.

DRENCHED BY RAIN
Throughout the night, even though a violent rainstorm that drenched both the police and volunteers, Patel and Mehta stood with Mrs. Mehta and her followers.

ELEVATOR TO PRESENT CITY PROBLEM SOON

No Word Yet Received From Panama Pacific Terminals on Bond Interest

With only one week left of the month's grace allowed the Panama Pacific Grain Terminals to make payment of the semi-annual interest due on the bonds of the grain elevator here, this problem promises to loom high in civic circles shortly.

Notice of default of payment was sent out by the city early in July, giving the company one month, in which to make the interest payment, amounting to \$12,700. Inquiry at the City Hall this morning elicited the information that no word had been received in reply to this notice.

Just what action will be taken by the city has not yet been decided. August 2 is the last day of grace on which the company can make good the alleged default and special consideration of the case will probably be necessary by the council after that time.

CANADA FOURTH LARGEST USER OF TELEPHONES

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Latest statistics issued by the Bell Telephone Company show Canada has the fourth largest number of telephones among the countries of the world. There are 1,334,534 telephones in use throughout the Dominion, or 13.7 for each 100 of population.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
First game—	R. H. E.	
Philadelphia.....	2 3 0	
Boston.....	2 10 0	
Batteries—Collins, Elliott and Davis, Selbold and Cronin.		
Second game—	R. H. E.	
St. Louis.....	2 9 2	
Philadelphia.....	9 7 1	
Batteries—Morris, Smith and Hering, Connolly, Shores and Cochrane, Schang.		
Third game—	R. H. E.	
Washington.....	9 13 0	
New York.....	2 8 2	
Batteries—Jones and Spencer; Johnson, Holloway and Dickey, Bengough.		

Mears and Pilot, Flying Atlantic, Plan On Passing This Way On World Trip

TRIES TO CIRCLE THE EARTH IN FIFTEEN DAYS



JOHN HENRY MEARS

BREAD PRICE HERE CUT TO 81-3 CTS. LOAF

Big Bakers Announce Cut Following Slump in Price of Wheat

Cut in bread prices is announced by all the big bakers.

The new Victoria prices will be 81-3 cents a loaf, two loaves for 17c and three loaves for 25c. The former price was 10 cents a loaf. The loaf is 16 ounces.

It was explained that the price of 81-3 cents for a single loaf means that the purchaser will have to pay the odd fraction of the cent and make it nine cents and that retailers cannot be expected to throw the one-third cent off and call it eight cents. The wholesale price of bread from the miller is set at 7 cents a loaf.

In Vancouver the price for some time has been three loaves for 35 cents. The new price there is two loaves for 15 cents.

The bread price reduction follows the fall in the price of wheat at Winnipeg which has declined from around \$1.70 a bushel to under 90 cents.

In announcing the bread price reduction, J. W. Hogg, secretary-treasurer of the Master Bakers' Association, said it was merely a readjustment within the trade.

"I do not consider this drop in price of any consequence," Mr. Hogg went on. "In a week, or maybe two

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Two Men Trying to Journey Around the World in Fifteen Days and Break Graf Zeppelin's Record, Fly From New York to Harbor Grace, Newfoundland; Mears Known in Victoria Since He and Pilot Paused Here in 1928 on Trip Which Set Record.

CHINA CITIES LIE IN PATH OF RED FORCE

Hankow, Hanyang and Wuchang Chinese Flee to Hankow Foreign Concession

Sixty Provincial Officials Found by Invaders in Changsha Reported Slaughtered

Canadian Press
Shanghai, Aug. 2.—The Yangtze River cities of Hankow, Hanyang and Wuchang, with a joint population estimated at several millions, to-day lay in the path of China's advancing blood-craved revolting armies and communist forces.

Thousands of terrified Chinese, bearing their property, sought refuge in the barricaded foreign concession of Hankow as Communist armies moved toward the three cities, fresh from the conquest and destruction of Changsha, Hunan. The cities were under martial law. The capital at Nanking also was under military rule.

Changsha, smouldering remnant of what once was a prosperous silk manufacturing city, was reported captured and held for ransom. Sixty provincial officials, hiding in the ruins of the city, were summarily executed by the conquerors. All foreigners were believed aboard gunboats or in other cities.

TOWNS EVACUATED
Evacuation of Kiating and the nearby mountain summer resort of Kurling was under way. Chinese authorities gave foreigners three days to leave, disclaiming responsibility for them after that time.

Nationalist authorities at Nanking, explaining establishment of martial law, said it was precautionary against possible communist activity within the capital.

ST. LOUIS PLANE ON THIRTEENTH DAY OF FLIGHT

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 2.—Dale Jackson and Forest O'Brien to-day began the thirteenth day of their flight to regain the world's plane record. It was merely a readjustment within the trade.

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PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION DRAWS LARGE ENTRY LIST

Active Bidding For Space at Willows Seen in All Classes of Exhibit

Cattle From All Parts of Continent Will Fill Livestock Building

One week from to-day entries will close for what promises to be the most representative Provincial Exhibition ever held in Victoria. Entries in the different exhibits have been pouring in for some weeks past and the exhibition officials are already faced with the over-crowding problem to such an extent that they have had to provide extra accommodation for many of the classes.

A great many improvements have been made in the grounds and buildings this spring and everything points to the most successful exposition in the history of the event.

An art exhibition from the National Gallery at Ottawa will be shown on the top floor of the Main Building and is expected to be one of the most popular displays of the entire week.

The Women's Building will also be a hive of activity. The centre floor has been removed and this has resulted in a moor room for the remaining floors and vastly improved light for the whole

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FIRST WHEAT IS CUT IN AREA OF SASKATOON

Bulk of Wheat Will Not Be Ready For Harvesters For Another Week

Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 2.—Binders at work to-day in a number of fields in the Saskatoon area. It is not expected most of the wheat will be ready for another week.

BYE IS HARVESTED
Hamlota, Man., Aug. 2.—Harvesting is well under way in the Hamlota section of southwestern Manitoba. Wheat is not yet being reaped, though fall crops are showing only slightly effects of rust.

NEW PLANS IN GERMANY MAKE EMPLOYMENT

Berlin, Aug. 2.—To alleviate unemployment and promote business, a "German Public Utility Stock Company" has been formed under control of the government.

Its object is the financing of public construction, floating of domestic and foreign loans and the extension of domestic credit. It has a capital of 150,000,000 marks (\$37,500,000) with 100,000,000 in reserve.

The company's business will be transacted by the Deutsche Bau und Bodenbank Gesellschaft. It is negotiating with a British-United States banking syndicate to float a first loan of between \$50,000,000 and \$60,000,000.

ARRIVE AT HARBOR GRACE

The flight made by Mears and Brown to-day was reported in the following dispatches:

Harbor Grace, Nfld., Aug. 2.—John Henry Mears, and his pilot, Henry J. Brown, aboard the City of New York, round-the-world airplane, ended the first leg of their journey from New York here to-day at 4:55 local time.

140 MILES AN HOUR
They apparently averaged about 140 miles an hour on their journey of more than 1,150 miles, which it was at first estimated would require at least nine hours. The flight chose the direct route past the tip of Cape Cod and over the Atlantic to Newfoundland.

They landed at the field here at 1:25 Eastern Standard Time, which is two and a half hours earlier than the local daylight time.

By POST R. BAILEY, Associated Press Staff Writer
Roosevelt Field, N.Y., Aug. 2.—Bound for New York City by way of Dublin, Berlin, Moscow and Seattle, John Henry Mears, and his pilot, Henry J. Brown, took off at 5:40 a.m. E.S.T. (2:40 a.m. Victoria time) to-day aboard their plane the City of New York. Their first scheduled stop was Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, and they arrived here at 4:55 local time.

They are seeking the round-the-world record, which Mears has twice held only to see it broken and which he held at the present figure—21 days 8 hours and 28 minutes—by the German dirigible Graf Zeppelin last summer.

Mears and Brown hope to make the trip in less than twenty days, perhaps in fifteen with good weather.

With a red, newly risen sun at his back, Brown sent the little red and silver monoplane winging down the long transatlantic runway through the early morning mists and pulled it aloft. He circled the field once, gave a salute, and then pointed the plane's nose for Harbor Grace.

Ideal weather awaited Mears and Brown on their nine-hour, 1,175-mile journey, and ahead across the Atlantic conditions appeared to be favorable for the next forty-eight hours. They expected to hop off from Harbor Grace tomorrow morning for the Beldoson air-drome, near Dublin, 1,900 miles away, on their longest over-water hop on the circumnavigation of the globe.

SAID FAREWELL
Brown's wife, his sister Mary, and Mr. Mears' daughter, Elizabeth, were at the field to see them off.

"Good-bye, Lady," Brown said as he kissed his wife and patted her shoulder. Then he kissed his sister and climbed into the cockpit.

Mrs. Mears' leave-taking of her father was more extended but none of the women showed emotional strain. Not until the City of New York was fading into the distance did Mrs. Brown give way, and then only for a moment.

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Hon. T. A. Crerar In Ottawa To-day

Ottawa, Aug. 2.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, Minister of Railways, who arrived in Ottawa this morning, declined to comment on his plans for the future. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the Commons in Brandon, Man.

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The Griffith Company are now doing business in their new office at 617 View Street.

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Playground Report Is Satisfactory To Service Club Body

Satisfactory reports have been submitted to the Service Clubs' Council of Victoria regarding the work of the playground supervisors, whom the council assisted in conjunction with other public bodies at the beginning of the summer, it was announced today.

Last June the Service Clubs' Council, consisting of representatives from the Kinmen, Gyro, Kiwanis, Rotary, Klumtuck and Y. W. C. A., co-operating with one of the staff of the local Y.M.C.A., assisted in the preparation of plans to have organized supervision of games and sports at the three local parks—Seaton Hill, Central and Victoria West—throughout the months of July and August.

Interest in the project secured from various public clubs and societies by the council has enabled them to put their plan into operation and they now report that three men and two women supervisors have for the last month been stationed at the parks mentioned and have been doing good work among the young people attending.

The finances of the scheme are looked after by the City Treasurer, and all disbursements of the funds collected, such as the payment of salaries and purchasing of equipment, are approved by the committee looking after this work in conjunction with the City Parks Board.

Among the contributors to the cost of doing this much-needed work in the city were the following: The Service Clubs' Council, the Y.M.C.A., the Quinlan Parent-Teacher's Association, Seaton Hill, Central and Victoria West—throughout the months of July and August.

CREYDON-MALTA FLIGHT

London, Aug. 2.—Captain C. D. Barnard landed at Creydon at 6.30 yesterday evening, completing a round trip flight to the island of Malta in two days. Captain Barnard flew from Victoria yesterday. Both of his flights were non-stop, the first time the distance of 1,300 miles between England and Malta had been covered without a stop.

Music Reigns Supreme; All the World Is To-day Enjoying Fruits of Past

From the Beginning of Time There Has Been Music in Some Form; Stone Age to Present Wonders of Civilization; Summer Music Is Everywhere; Famous Conductor's Remarkable Letter; Three Winnipeg Sisters; Vancouver to Revive Symphony Orchestra; Colossal Art Centre; Wales National Establisment.

By G. J. D.

Music is always with us! And 'tis God's blessing it is! What if the concord of sweet sounds were suddenly to cease? What if there should be no more music? From the beginning of time we have had music in some form. Our forebears of the Stone Age produced—in the mysterious sense of rhythm—crude music by striking one rock against another, or by beating upon dried and stretched hides of animals. Then later, by accident, musical sounds were produced from hollow reeds and pipes, by some shepherd or woodsman, and weirdly-constructed "instruments" made from the gut of animals attached to a kind of frame-work began to be plucked by the fingers of some rhythmic soul, only to be improved upon as time went on.

So, through the ages, step by step, music as we know it to-day, became a reality and elevating, a thing of beauty and sweetness to all mankind. The folk-song, originating from the daily life of the people, through the minstrels, the troubadours, from the eleventh century to the end of the thirteenth, became interwoven with deeds of valor and battle, the rise and fall of men and nations, the record of many events of great historic and national importance. To-day all the world is enjoying the fruits of past ages. Our symphonies, operas, concertos have attained to great heights, and greater still are the wonders of the gramophone and the radio. And who can tell what is still to follow?

SUMMER MUSIC IN AMERICA

At present summer music fills the air. A few weeks ago The Times music column gave a partial list of the summer festivals and musical events now taking place in England and on the continent of Europe.

Let us look for a moment and note some of the present musical activities of America. There is opera at Ravinia, north of Chicago, and the Philharmonic symphony concerts in the Lewisohn Stadium, New York, in their thirteenth season, immediately followed by crowds. Not to be outdone by New York, the Philadelphia Orchestra in Fairmount Park, has opened its first series of outdoor concerts. California is filling the famous Hollywood Bowl, Cincinnati's Zoo Opera Company is appealing most forcibly to public sensibilities with the operas "Hannibal" and "Paris". Light opera is programmed at St. Louis and the Golden Gate Band concerts think nothing of a chorus of 8,000 took part, drawn from over fifty churches, later on the Worcester County Musical Association in its seventy-first annual festival, will give a series of concerts. And so musical enterprise goes forward.

INTERESTING MUSICAL DOINGS

Frederick Manning, a young Canadian tenor, after a successful debut in Vienna, is making his debut in Seattle. His name is Mrs. H. M. Stryker. She has been intimately associated with the history of the orchestra since its organization in 1926. Philadelphia is to have a temple of music to cost \$4,000,000. One of its three halls, with a seating capacity of 4,000, will be used for its symphony orchestra and for grand opera.

At the present moment the National Association of Organists of America is meeting in Los Angeles.

A new string quartet has just been formed in Portland, all of whom are members of the Portland Symphony Orchestra. Its leader is Edward Klumtuck, concert master of the orchestra. The quartet is a musical new to Portland people.

Central Europe is reviving the old Viennese waltz. Vienna is setting the example.

The National Federation of Music Clubs, with a membership of 500,000, will be represented at a meeting to be held shortly in New York.

The American Opera Company will be inactive next season.

OPERA REVIVALS AT THE "MET."

The Metropolitan Opera is to have next winter some opera revivals. Among these are "William Tell," which was given in 1922-1923, "Iris," heard fifteen years ago; "The Flying Dutchman," produced twenty years ago; and "La Forza del Destino." The Canadian tenor, Edward Johnson, is listed among the tenors. Among the basses is a Norwegian by name, Ivar Erithof, and a soprano, with a remarkable voice.

A FAMOUS CONDUCTOR'S LETTER

At the conclusion of the European tour made by the New York Philharmonic Symphony, conducted by Arturo Toscanini, the famous conductor wrote the following remarkably human letter to each member:

"My dear friends, members of the Philharmonic Society, my heart is sad. The thought that this evening we are giving our last concert of our fortunate tour and that tomorrow we shall be separated after some weeks of cordial and affectionate association, moves me deeply. But such is life. When you are not parting from dear friends or persons whom you are parting from, some illusion. This time, however, the illusion that our tour has been a magnificent expression of art will not be torn from us. I feel absolutely sure that all of us will always preserve the sweet memory of this experience. But what I am particularly moved to speak and explain to you is the great joy I have experienced in discovering every day more and more

what enthusiasm and love you expended in trying to make each concert better than the previous one, and how you accomplished this without showing the slightest sign of fatigue. You have been wonderful, wonderful, and I thank you, and I assure you that to-day I am not only proud of you but I love you all as my faithful friends.

"Bon voyage and goodbye to you till we meet again in November."

SISTERS GAINING MUSICAL DISTINCTION

Anna, Ida and Sara Nelson are three talented native-born sisters of Winnipeg. Their father is a flautist, Anna, aged fifteen, plays the piano, and showed unusual musical receptivity when very young. Her father taught her the rudiments of music and the piano, and while she was engaged in practice, Ida, now thirteen, showed signs of wishing to cry in terms of music, so she was given violin lessons. The practicing of these two sisters soon drew the continuous attention of the public, and now twelve years old, and so she was given a three-quarter violin upon which to receive her lessons. Thus did the father have a responsibility, but results that followed compensated all he did for the three sisters. As they grew up, they, like the three talented daughters of our renowned American composer and wife, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bucklin, played in various competitions and gained many prizes.

Acting on the advice of three distinguished festival adjudicators, Dr. Bairstow, Hugh Robertson and Benjamin Dale, who had heard them play, their father went with them to London for further tuition. Their native city got together a committee of well-wishers, including Dr. Fletcher, deputy Minister of Education for Manitoba, who acted as chairman, which became responsible for their journey in London during the pursuit of their studies under well-known professors, and a Nelson fund has been formed. Recently a Canadian trio gave a recital at Wigmore Hall, and the London papers spoke in very high terms of their respective, uncommon talents, and of their excellent ensemble playing. The reading of such a sample as this brings home the responsibilities and desires of many a parent. It is delightful to know that many parents in our own city are doing their very best in giving their children a good musical training, several of whom have already responded with successful results to the wishes. And so is music passed on from generation to generation.

DELIOUS' "APPALACHIA"

Delious' performances are not plentiful. The works of this English composer are impressive, subtle and ultra-modernistic, and his "Appalachia," recently given at Birmingham, attracted considerable attention. This work is seldom heard. It is big and difficult, and its production by a School of Music called forth the highest praise. It was conducted by Sir Graeme Bantock, "Appalachia" was first given in 1902, in Florida, and was first given on the return of Delious to Europe at the Royal Albert Hall, 1905. It is a very Delious, full of rich harmony, and decidedly characteristic. It portrays the tropical lowlands of the mighty Mississippi, the melancholy of those vast tangled forests, the river-flats, the swamps, the twisted birds and the tribes of negroes.

DISTINGUISHED VIOLINIST PASSES

There are many here who will remember the violinist Tivadar Naches in the heyday of his triumphs in London, where he settled in 1889. He was also a great favorite outside of London. He died a few weeks ago at Limerne at the age of seventy-one. He was born at Buda-Pesth, and his first teacher was Joseph Schram. He became a pupil of Joachim and Leonard. He visited Vancouver many years ago with a concert party, where the writer played his last work, a string quartet and a violin concerto. His vladar Naches made his last appearance at a recital in conjunction with the French violinist Tivadar, in 1926. He was a well-read man of a likeable personality, and spoke several languages. He possessed lovely specimens of an Amati violin and a Guarnerius.

MUSICAL DUBLIN

Dublin, noted for its great musical traditions, has a very fine orchestral society, marked by a Dublin paper sent given a recent programme. Among its numbers were Mozart's gay overture, "Il Seraglio," Mendelssohn's sparkling "A Midsummer Night's Dream," and Dvorak's rhythmic and gaudy symphony "From the New World." Dr. Exposito and Dr. Larchet were the conductors.

VANCOUVER TO REVIVE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

The symphony orchestra is to be revived in Vancouver. A reorganization meeting has been held, and it is hoped to be able to give some symphonic programmes next winter. The proposed concertos will be under the conductorship of Alfred de Rudder, who has had much European experience, and himself a composer of unusual gifts. Subscription lists are now open, and an appeal has been made to all classes of music lovers. The Hon. Lieut. Governor Randolph Bruce, the Mayor of Vancouver, W. H. Malkin, and many prominent people are revealing keen interest in the revival of the Vancouver Symphony Society, the officers of which are Frederick J. Seacher, a well-known cellist and pianist, as president; Mrs. E. T. Rogers, first vice-president; Perry G. Shillington, second vice-president; Julius Griffith, treasurer; L. O. Thomas, secretary; and Miss R. J. Percy, assistant secretary; and G. Bannister, J. Fyfe Smith, W. E. Payne, Mrs. F. O. Saunders, Mrs. E. O. Cornish and Chris. Spencer, directors.

A New Zealand paper says: "Attains fresh heights in his interpretation of MacDowell's 'To a Wild Rose'—Nothing could be more touching than

B.C. GAME TAKES WORLD HONORS

Exhibit From Province Carries Off First Prize at Leipzig Exposition

Word has just been received here that British Columbia carried off the first prize at the World's Big Game Conference Exhibition at Leipzig, Germany. Competing with exhibits from all over the world, the B.C. display not only captured first place in the aggregate, but a specimen of a mountain goat owned by J. Bryan Williams, chief game commissioner of the province, was acclaimed the finest individual head in the entire exposition. The exhibits from this province were arranged by G. L. Pop of Vancouver, with the assistance of the B.C. Government.

The B.C. display took in the neighborhood of \$1,000, while the United States sent five men to Leipzig with a collection which cost about \$35,000.

LOGANBERRIES PASS SHORT CROP PEAK: "RASPS" ALSO SMALL

Last of Saanich 1929 Processed Strawberries Are Sold to Seattle

The peak of the loganberries for the Island is past. Department of Agriculture reported to-day. The crop is to be short of last year which was below average. They are selling wholesale at \$2.40 per crate.

The raspberry crop is about sixty per cent normal. Raspberries are being sold at from \$3.00 to \$5.50 wholesale.

Local transparent apples are on the market and selling at from \$2.00 to \$2.50 per box. The 1929 processed strawberry crop for Vancouver Island has been sold at prices satisfactory to the growers. The latest shipment being made to the American side.

DRAWN-OUT SEASON ON PRAIRIES

Report received from the Markets Commissioner from Calgary to-day says there is a between-seasons lull in the trade which renders business very slow. This is the second month that B.C. has been supplying the prairie markets with berries. The season in long drawn out and the supply seldom exceeds the demand.

Raspberries are still rolling in carloads. The movement is just sufficient to keep things clear. Carloads are sold to jobbers delivered here at \$3.50 per crate, and L.C.L. stuff is selling at \$3.00. Very few loganberries are being offered for sale, what are offered seem to drag on sale. Few blackberries have been seen on this market this year.

Grapes from Kelowna have not started to move. Tomatoes and cucumbers, field grown, are now moving. Cucumbers are in plentiful supply, and Kelowna shipping work is moving at top speed. Painted red ones have a nice diagonal pack and the other is poorly packed and rather irregular. The diagonal pack should change the color of his top slats, as the poor pack may get the benefit of his unique way of marketing.

There is no committee price on tomatoes yet. Washington is quoting them at \$1.10, while B.C. is quoting \$1.00. Celery is holding its quality better this year than usual. The trade considers it "nice stuff."

Vegetables are not coming in sufficient volume to establish a market price. Bing and Lambert cherries are now rolling from Kootenay points. The quality is about the usual for Kootenay cherries and is moving at \$2.75 per crate or \$3.25 laid down in Calgary. Apricots are selling at \$1.00 f.o.b. shipping point. Apples are now rolling in carloads. The trade considers it "nice stuff."

Local vegetables almost supply the market just now. New potatoes are cheaper than old. The Committee of Direction price is now \$2.50. At that price they cost \$3.75 laid down, but are selling at \$3.00. The growers in this area to shipping at \$1.75, and they ship them at \$2.50 and take all risks.

Sooke

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of the Misses L. and V. Helgeson, at Sooke, yesterday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. W. Miller (nee Miss Marjorie Gille) whose marriage took place recently at Beaverly. Miss L. Helgeson presented the gifts to Mrs. Miller. Tea was served by the hosts, and the evening was a most enjoyable one. Other present included Misses A. Milne, G. and L. Gralinger, M. and N. McDewitt and V. Soward.

Lieut.-Commander A. R. Pressey Praised By Commander of Dirigible

Lieutenant-Commander A. R. Pressey, son of Mrs. T. R. Pressey of Fall Street, played a prominent part in the mooring of the dirigible R-100 at the St. Hubert mast on arrival from Cardington.

Commander Pressey was in charge of the detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who accompanied the R-100 to the St. Hubert mast on arrival from Cardington.

Yesterday evening Mrs. Pressey listened to the radio messages following the arrival of the R-100 at the St. Hubert mast. The messages were references made to her son for the splendid manner in which the mooring operation had been performed.

Lieutenant-Commander Pressey was formerly a resident of this city and was at one time in command of H.M.C.S. Thetis. More recently he has been stationed in the east.

LARGE SECTION OF BEACON HILL BROOM BURNED

Swept onward by a stiff sea breeze, a bush fire yesterday afternoon set a wide swath in the beautiful Beacon Hill Park, near the summit. A huge column of smoke arising from the blaze, floated over the Fairfield and Fox Bay districts, giving the impression of heavy fog.

When the fire call was turned in at 4.32 o'clock only a small section of the broom was blazing but within a short time about twenty acres were ablaze. A two hour fight sufficed to bring it under control.

Children in the park aided the fireman by beating out flames which had spread to dry grass on the artificial field not far from the park nursery.

For a time the large wooded section at the southeast corner of the park was in danger from flying sparks, with wine and beer chiefly in demand.

WAR REVIVED WITH ALL GHOSTLY REALISM MAKES ELOQUENT PEACE PLEA

"All Quiet on the Western Front" Gives Startling View-point of Men in Trenches

Adaptation of Remarque's Sensational War Book Masterpiece of Screen

In the lull of battle Paul Baumer and his comrades are sprawled at the back of the lines trying to reason out the causes of war.

It was inconceivable to them that humans who had never even seen each other until the ghastly conflict enveloped them could seek to ruthlessly cleave each other into eternity.

One country had offended another country and the war, with all its sickening horrors, was the result.

The Kaiser didn't want the war, it was argued by the German troops, who had so heroically gone to the front ready to die for the Fatherland. England did not want war, it was readily admitted.

France was merely putting her all into the conflict in order to protect her borders from invasion.

Who then turned "Europe" into the something cauldron of war, and forced men to fight each other to the death?

With cheerful philosophy the human element behind that dreadful war curtain sought to fathom the unexplainable.

"If a mountain became offended with the valley over which it frowned, would the mountain seek to obliterate the valley?"

They were confounded by the psychology of war.

Schoolboys in the trenches. Sentative and kindly nurtured youth recoiling from the shock of an environment wholly alien to their own.

"My God, he is dead, and he was my friend!"

"It is driving me mad; let us do something!"

"I swear I did not intend to kill you. Don't take so long in dying. You knew I could not get away from this shell hole and you are tormenting me."

"I tell you I did not mean to do it."

WAR HEROES PLAY IN EPIC PICTURE AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Among the scores of interesting ex-service men employed in the filming of the Tiffany-Gainsborough all-talking version of "Journey's End," is one veteran with a Victoria Cross, and perhaps fifty others have various medals and decorations. "Journey's End," recorded by RCA Photophone, is the attraction now showing at the Playhouse.

ARION CLUB PLAN CONCERT FOR DECEMBER

Commemorating thirty-eight years of steady growth, the Arion Club of Victoria will present a gala programme to mark its hundredth concert in the city sometime during December, it was announced at the annual meeting of the organization here.

Plans are being made to secure some of the original music used by the club at its inception in 1892, and a presentation of unusual interest is expected to be given at the special function.

The concert will be held in the Royal Victoria Theatre.

In preparation for the event, the choir will start rehearsals in September, under the direction of F. J. Sell, one of the members of longest standing in the organization. Herbert Kent, the only remaining charter member who is still active in the club's work, will conduct one or two numbers.

In the spring another concert will be given under the leadership of Stanley F. Bulley, A.R.C.O., L.R.A.M., professional conductor in the Russell orchestra.

Officers elected at the meeting follow: President, George Phillips; conductor for 1930-1931, F. J. Sell; secretary, D. D. Muir. The music committee consists of H. Kent, F. J. Sell, W. Draper, K. A. Gibbs, and the executive committee of T. Blandy, K. A. Gibbs and H. A. Beckwith.

LIQUOR CRUISE OF LINER IS SEA SUCCESS

Sa. California Returns to New York With Passengers Satisfied

New York, Aug. 2.—The Anchor Line California, which slipped out of port seven days ago on a "trip to nowhere," returned yesterday with 7,800 bottles of her liquor store still intact. Ship's officers said only 42.2 per cent of the vessel's liquor supply had been consumed by the 700 passengers during the voyage. There were 13,000 bottles of wine, liquor and beer in the stores when the liner sailed.

Drinking was moderate, officers said, with wine and beer chiefly in demand.

Where To Go To-night

THE SCREEN
Capitol—"All Quiet on the Western Front," starring Lewis Ayres. Coliseum—Vilma Banky in "A Lady of Love." Columbia—"Undertow," featuring Max Erland. Dominion—Gary Cooper in "The Texan." Playhouse—"Journey's End," with Clive Collins.
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

SHELLFIRE REALISM SEEN IN PHOTOPLAY AT CAPITOL THEATRE

Explosives enough to demolish a city were used in the greatest battle scenes ever filmed in "All Quiet on the Western Front." Universal's picturization of Erich Maria Remarque's masterful book of the war, which is now showing at the Capitol theatre.

More than 30,000 pounds of black powder and six tons of dynamite were used to give the effect of shell fire and mine explosions. Six thousand bombs were planned and exploded on the battlefield covering twenty acres of land on the Irvine ranch, near Los Angeles.

One of the terrific war scenes of the picture shows a French village under bombardment. In this scene shells are seen bursting in the air over the village occupied by a thousand and more German soldiers. A building is blown to fragments. Other explosions tear up the streets and shatter walls. In another scene a church is demolished by three direct shell hits while a company of German soldiers is passing it.

Twelve flame throwers were used in certain scenes. A battery of twenty German howitzers, captured by the American army and now trophies at various American Legion posts, were used in the bombardment scenes.

MONTANA TOWN IS NAMED AFTER STAR NOW PLAYING HERE

Gary Cooper is perhaps the first motion picture star to have a town named after him. Nevertheless, the featured player in "The Texan," the Dominion theatre headliner for to-night, was informed by officials of the Great Northern Railway that his company would change the name of Sunnyside, Montana, to Gary.

The Paramount star owns a large ranch near Sunnyside, and proposes to make that locality an attraction for visitors by opening the Gary Cooper guest ranch there. Cooper was born in Helena, Montana, and spent the major part of his life in that state. He went to Hollywood four years ago.

VICTOR SEASTROM HAS TWO SCRIPTS FOR HIS PICTURES

Victor Seastrom stands alone in United States film studios as the sole director who has two complete scripts made for him.

Seastrom speaks and writes English perfectly, but he prefers to work out his interpretative notes in his native Swedish. Therefore he uses on the set both English and Swedish scripts. The English version is for his company with his players; the Swedish is for himself. Seastrom's latest and first talking picture for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer is "A Lady to Love," a romance by Sidney Howard, which is now at the Coliseum Theatre, with Vilma Banky as the star.

COLUMBIA STARS MARY NOLAN IN FEATURE OF SEA

So sensational a success was her first Universal starring feature, "The Shanghai Lady," that Carl Laemmle Jr., general manager, immediately began production of "Undertow," the all-sound feature now being shown at the Columbia Theatre, with Miss Nolan again in the starring role. Directed by Harry Pollard, the picture shows such dramatic versatility on the part of the gorgeous blonde star, that a complete programme has been scheduled for her, in which she will play a great variety of characters. John Mack Brown plays opposite her in "Undertow," with Robert Ellis, Audrey Ferris, Churchill Ross and other screen favorites in the principal roles.

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U.S. Plane Derby Won By Gehlbach

Detroit, Aug. 2.—Lee Gehlbach, Little Rock, Ark., was announced winner of the All-American Airplane Derby here yesterday with a total elapsed time of 43 hours, 35 minutes and 30 seconds, for the 5,541 miles of flying.

His average speed was computed at 127.1 miles an hour. He made the final hop from Chicago to Detroit in one hour, 42 minutes and 28 seconds.

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Pacific Coast Terminals Make
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Vancouver, Aug. 2.—Payment of \$48,780 in interest due August 1, being 6% per cent on the company's million and a half first mortgage bonds, was announced yesterday by Valentine Quinn, vice-president and managing director of the Pacific Coast Terminals.

Mr. Quinn also announced the company intended paying \$10,500, being six months' interest due August 1, on the company's \$300,000 debenture issue. Both of the payments are being made from the company's own resources without any call on the guarantee by the City of New Westminster or the Province of British Columbia.

The Pacific Coast Terminals started business a year ago. It is entirely a British Columbia enterprise and handles fruit, vegetables, meat, fish, butter, eggs, onions and practically all kinds of produce that has to be held in storage.

Cold storage space has been contracted for by large wholesale houses for long periods, and practically the entire services of the terminal have been in use almost from the opening. The movement of merchandise from the docks is regarded as remarkable in view of the slackness in shipping which is prevalent all over Canada.

COTTON MILLS IN INDIA CLOSED

Bombay, India, Aug. 2.—Six cotton mills were closed down here yesterday, carrying out orders given a month ago because of business depression resulting from the civil disobedience movement and boycott of Indian mill-made cloth.

The shutdown threw 13,000 operatives out of work. Other mills are scheduled to close August 15, involving thousands of other operatives.

NEW SOUTH WALES FARMERS VOTE ON WHEAT POOL PLAN

Sydney, N.S.W., Aug. 2.—The cabinet yesterday decided to take a ballot of wheat growers in New South Wales on the question of a compulsory wheat pool. Victoria, it was stated, probably would participate in the scheme.

INCREASE IN NEWS SERVICE IS SUGGESTED

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Trade and understanding between the different parts of the Empire are not likely to grow until the newspapers of the Dominion see fit to furnish more news about each other, in the opinion of L. R. MacGregor, Australian trade commissioner to Canada.

Mr. MacGregor arrived in Toronto yesterday to take up residence after a month traveling across Canada studying conditions.

Very little news about Canada was published in Australian newspapers, declared Mr. MacGregor, and since arriving here he had observed there was very little Australian news in Canadian papers.

Speaking of trade between Australia and Canada, Mr. MacGregor said: "Since the trade treaty came into effect between Canada and Australia we have been purchasing from the Dominion \$16,000,000 to \$20,000,000 worth of goods per annum, while Canada has been purchasing \$5,000,000 or \$4,000,000 from us."

"I consider the export of Canadian products to our country can be very greatly increased, and I hope to be able to assist Canadian exporters in that direction," he said. "We should like, however, to break more even in the trade balance between our respective countries, and in this regard I hope for the support of the Canadian public," he added.

Russian Cargoes Of Pulwood Are Admitted to U.S.

Washington, Aug. 2.—Assistant Secretary Lowman yesterday modified the treasury order forbidding imports of Russian pulwood.

Lowman order admitted cargoes of pulwood which have already arrived in this country, those on the high seas and those already loaded at Archangel.

In all, the order affects fewer than twenty vessels.

The pulwood had been barred from this country under a section of the tariff act which prohibits importation of merchandise produced wholly or in part in any foreign country by convict labor.

BUTCHER'S DAUGHTER WINS KING'S CUP



No wonder Miss Winifred Brown is smiling; she won the King's Cup for the 750-mile air race around Great Britain, landing first in a field of eighty-eight competitors. The twenty-six-year-old daughter of a Manchester butcher piloted her Avro-Avian at a 102-mile clip after starting in fourteenth place with a two-and-a-half hour handicap. The first woman ever to win the King's Cup, she bested such famous competitors as Waghorn, winner of the Schneider Cup, and Orlebar, holder of world's speed record.

LONDON WEEKLIES STATE THEIR VIEWS ON CANADIAN ELECTION

London, Aug. 2.—The weekly reviews of London, with one exception, do not give more than a paragraph of comment to the Canadian general election and the return of the Conservative Party to power under the leadership of Hon. R. B. Bennett.

The exception is The New Statesman, of radical-liberal complexion, which devotes two columns to an analysis of the result. It believes the decision came as a surprise to members of both the major parties in Canada, but condemns some of the conclusions already made in England as misleading and even, in some cases, absurd.

NOT AN EXPECTATION
The New Statesman refers satirically to Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express with its special understanding of Canadian affairs.

The return of the Conservatives is hailed as a great success, says this review, "because Mr. Bennett prefers to use preferences to strike a bargain with Britain. It seems to have entirely escaped the attention of The Daily Express that this idea is precisely that advocated by Mr. Baldwin and which cost him heaps of abuse from The Daily Express."

The Spectator notes that Mr. Bennett is a strong protectionist, but insists this fact will, of course, make no difference in the welcome he will receive at the Imperial Conference.

OBSTACLES TO TRADE
The Nation attributes the landslide largely to a reaction which it considers to have been inevitable after the long Liberal tenure of office. The result represents, it says, The Nation, a victory for high protection.

This weekly concludes with the comment: "Despite the example of failure afforded by the United States, it appears that Canadians, as well as Australians and many people here, think the best cure for unemployment lies in building up greater obstacles to the freedom of trade. The result will undoubtedly increase strength of Canadian demand for preferences from Britain and will decrease Canadian willingness to grant preferences to British products. But this will undoubtedly be hailed as a triumph for Empire free trade."

BRITISH STATEMENT AWAITED
The Saturday Review says the result will be interpreted as a blow to Lord Beaverbrook's policy by his Liberal foes and by other critics. And, at least on the surface, says The Review, this interpretation would appear to be justified for the Conservatives had shown much more consideration for Ontario manufacturers than had their Liberal opponents.

But the change in the Dominion's government, coincides The Saturday Review, "will simply transfer political initiative from Ottawa to London, for it now remains for the British Government to state its position at the forthcoming Imperial Conference."

GUARANTEE ON
PRICE OF WHEAT
IS DISCUSSED

Canadian Press
Winnipeg, Aug. 2.—On his way east for a vacation, Premier J. E. Brownlee of Alberta stopped over in Winnipeg yesterday and conferred with Premier John Brocken on the matter of the provinces' guarantee to banks against loans through advances made to the Wheat Pool. At conclusion of the meeting it was said the guarantee question had merely been gone over in a general way. Neither Premier would say anything further.

A recent statement reported made by Chief Statistician Andrew Cairns of the Wheat Pool that no losses had been sustained by the three prairie governments in the guarantee was correct as far as it went, it was pointed out at the Legislative Buildings. The guarantee still has to run until the entire 1929 crop has been marketed. Whether the provinces will be called upon to furnish the guarantee money must necessarily depend on the prices at which the remainder of the crop is sold.

ELK AT BANFF ENJOY MUSIC
Banff Springs Hotel, Aug. 2.—Are elk attracted by music? The actions of two bull elk here would seem to indicate that they are. Each evening about the time dancing starts at Banff Springs Hotel ballroom two fine specimens stroll out of the nearby bush across the highway and enter the athletic grounds near the hotel and under the ballroom windows. As they near the hotel they begin to shake their heads and prance, then, away they go cavorting and capering but always keeping within hearing distance of the music.

POLICE FORCES ARE IN CONTROL ON REDS' DAY

No Serious Outbreaks During
Anti-war Demonstrations

Toronto, Aug. 2.—Heralded as a province-wide demonstration in protest against imperialism and war and a movement in support of revolutionary movements in other parts of the world, Communist meetings scheduled in various parts of Toronto yesterday evening were quashed unceremoniously by police and citizens.

At Queen's Park a large crowd gathered to see an expected clash between the Reds and police, but it was of little consequence. Two agitators were arrested.

At Niagara Falls angry citizens, many of whom were returned soldiers, saved the police the trouble of dispersing the Communists. Previously the demonstrators had attempted to hold a meeting on the United States side, but the gathering was broken up after seven arrests had been made. Moving across to the Canadian side the Reds encountered trouble of a nature they had not bargained for.

A large crowd, led by William "Red" Hill, famous Canadian riverman, pounced on the Communists, tore down their banners, which were trampled underfoot, and leaped on the truck carrying the leaders and chased them off the vehicle with well-directed blows.

At Sault Ste. Marie seven persons were arrested.

AT WINNIPEG
Winnipeg, Aug. 2.—Communist speakers lectured yesterday evening to a crowd of Communists in the shadow of the Winnipeg City Hall. No disturbance ensued at the celebration of the world-wide "anti-war" day.

CLASH IN NEW YORK
New York, Aug. 2.—Six persons were injured, two of them seriously, yesterday evening, when police and Communist demonstrators clashed in Union Square here following a Red day celebration. A policeman and a reporter were among those hurt.

The altercation started just after the Communist meeting had broken up, when someone among the group of persons, moving into a side street, threw stones at police on duty in the square.

When the police charged, the crowd ran, throwing the entire square into an uproar. Fighting between the Communists and police many of whom wielded blackjacks, broke out in a dozen places.

Order was restored after 200 arrests, stationed in nearby buildings, had been called out.

AT YONKERS
Yonkers, N.Y., Aug. 2.—Seven Communists were arrested when they attempted to hold a meeting at the city plaza without a permit yesterday.

PARIS, Aug. 2.—A widely advertised Communist "International Anti-War Day" commemorating the sixteenth anniversary of mobilization for the World War, passed off without disorders in Europe yesterday. In most of the countries a general round-up of Communist leaders had been made in anticipation of trouble.

Only in Moscow and other Russian cities were there important demonstrations. Communist demonstrators paraded the streets there.

In Paris, it was police airplanes that swooped heavily over the city on the lookout for gatherings in the working class quarters. Not a single serious incident was reported.

Preventive arrests were made in Hungary and Czechoslovakia. Strong forces of police were mobilized at Budapest and Prague, but the cities remained quiet throughout the day.

AT RIO-DE JANEIRO
Rio de Janeiro, Aug. 2.—Communists yesterday plastered the working quarters of this city with manifestos calling on the workers to agitate during the present month, but police immediately tore them down.

A small Communist meeting, the only one organized, was broken up by a small force of police, and several arrests were made.

Vancouver Island News

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On Wednesday afternoon a farewell tea was held by the W.A. of St. Michael's and All Angels Church for Mrs. V. O. Fritchard, who will leave next week to live in Victoria.

Mrs. Walter Porter, president, presented Mrs. Fritchard with a silver cake basket, saying how much the members would miss Mrs. Fritchard. Among those present were Mrs. Fritchard, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Lang, Mrs. Donald Clarke, Mrs. Fred Clarke, Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Beauchamp, Mrs. Neal, Mrs. Longrigg, Mrs. Aiken, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Maurice Halhed, Mrs. Toynbee, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Ingila, Mrs. Stubbs, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Aiken, Mrs. Alister, Mrs. Robathan and Miss Payne.

Mrs. Cathcart and her nephew, Harry Cathcart of Victoria, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cathcart Sr., have returned home.

Mrs. Fridham Jr. of Vancouver is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Lang.

Miss Whittaker of Vancouver is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Read.

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DECLARED ELECTED

Simcoe, Ont., Aug. 2.—William H. Taylor, Liberal, yesterday was officially declared elected to the Commons with a majority over John L. Stansell, Conservative, by J. A. Wallace, returning officer for the riding of Norfolk-Elgin.

GLIDER PILOT KILLED

Los Angeles, Aug. 2.—Earl Lyon, Redondo Beach, California, twenty-seven-year-old glider pilot, was burned to death yesterday when his craft engaged on a power line and was set afire. The craft was about thirty feet in the air when it struck the line.

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A CHANCE FOR PARKS

NOW THAT THE PROVINCE OF British Columbia has formally assumed control of the railway lands and the Peace River block it is to be hoped the Talmie government will devote early attention to the scheme of national park development which the MacLean government had in contemplation when it left office in 1928.

That ministry, it will be remembered, having brought the main negotiations for the transfer of the areas in question to completion, proposed as part of the general readjustment between the Dominion and the province to set aside several large areas which could be taken over by the federal parks administration for development in connection with Canada's park system. Suitable areas in the interior, possibly including one or more of the present provincial parks, and a block of forest land on the west coast of Vancouver Island, contiguous to the West Coast Road, were proposed for these purposes. The desirability of developing these resorts under the splendid parks administration of the Dominion was everywhere recognized. The project, including an island park of unique character, was then, and naturally still is, of special interest to Victoria.

In handling the final details of the railway land transfer Premier Talmie insisted on excluding from the negotiations all matters not directly connected with these areas. At that time he said he feared that if the proposed agreement became too involved it might never be completed. There is, however, no obstacle in Premier Talmie's way now. The lands are under the control of his government and he should be able to obtain the same friendly co-operation in this matter of park development from the Bennett government as he obtained from the King government during the period in which he completed the final details of the transfer.

This is primarily a matter of concern to British Columbia and the initiative will have to come from the Talmie government.

SHE CANNOT ESCAPE IT

BETWEEN NOW AND SEPTEMBER 14, when Germany will hold her general elections, a lively battle is expected between the two extremes in the country's political life—the Socialists and the Nationalists. Once again reparations payments will loom largely among platform and newspaper arguments. We get the two views of prevailing opinion from the Berlin Kreuz Zeitung, often called "the monarchial organ of Hohenzollern principles," and from the Frankfurter Zeitung, a democratic organ of the moderate school which reflects the attitude of the intelligent masses.

The Berlin daily urges a new policy that must be based upon a total repudiation of the idea that Germany is "to go on paying tribute" through the Young plan or any other similar plan. "The policy of fulfillment," it declares, "means slavery." This attitude is manifested in pictorial form by a cartoon in "Kladderadatsch"—a weekly of typical stodgy German humor—in which is depicted representatives of the Allied nations placing a heavy weight, inscribed "yearly payments until 1988," on the head of a German baby. Its caption reads: "Making the unborn guiltless bear the guilt." The answer to this, of course, is that the unborn in Great Britain also will be paying for the war until the end of the century.

The Frankfurter Zeitung, however, faces the situation squarely and does not allow nationalistic hysteria to influence its judgment. It says in part:

If from mere wishing for a thing, aspirations are made realities by longed-for dreams, if people can not see that the World War was lost, then indeed is all mere blind declamation.

It is much to be desired that many who do not know it, or who do not want to know it, would ascertain definitely from the words of the President of the republic how important it is for the sake of the reconstruction of a new German state, that memories of the war be founded upon a sense of reality.

Any true recollections of the war must begin with a perception that we lost it.

The President of the republic in his public and published words has made no concealment of the fact that just because the war was lost the generation now on the scene and the one to follow must make sacrifices.

Still wielding great influence over all shades of opinion is President Hindenburg. He is attacked from time to time by all parties; but he seems to be able to meet various crises as they arise. After September 14 it is fairly certain the German people will recognize that only by paying up under the Young plan will they be assisting their country to regain her place among the nations in the fullest sense of the term.

A GROWING WEST COAST INDUSTRY

FIVE YEARS AGO BRITISH COLUMBIA did not take much interest in pilchard fishing. Little seemed to be known about this species of the finny tribe. But it is a vastly different story now. Returns from this branch of the industry constitute a substantial item in the annual record of the fishery business on this coast.

Writing in "Agricultural and Industrial Progress in Canada," a monthly publication issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Mr. W. B. Cameron tells us something about the activities on the west coast of Vancouver Island as they concern the pilchard. He says there are now some twenty plants handling these fish. The B.C. Packers Ltd., said to be the largest fish-packing organization in the British empire, operates five of these, and handles the bulk of the product. To show the rapid growth of the industry, here are the figures for 1929, taken largely from government sources: Meal, 15,826 tons; oil, 2,856,579 gallons; canned, 98,821 cases of four dozen one-pound tins each. Wholesale prices average approximately as follows: Meal \$45.00 per ton; oil,

37½ cents per gallon; cans, \$4.00 per case. The total value of the output for the year was \$2,198,427.

The meal is used chiefly as poultry and stock feed, and as fertilizer; the oil as a paint base, in tanning, soapmaking and refining, and for culinary purposes; the canned fish, of course, for human consumption. The tastiness of the pilchard needs only to be known, says Mr. Cameron, to make it appreciated; and, with its advance in public favor, the market for the canned fish is steadily increasing. It has not yet been marketed to any extent in a fresh state. The oil of the fish, like that procured from cod livers, is rich in vitamins A and D; and, no doubt, has medicinal properties which will recommend it as an additional curative agent in those ailments in which the better-known oil is so widely employed.

Pilchards are deep water fish which run in great schools. Fishing generally is carried on in the bays and inlets that indent this island, though occasionally, when the fish are "wild," they lead the fishing boats a lively chase, and even then are not always overtaken. It may seem odd, we read, that fish have traits so characteristically human, but the truth of the statement that it is much easier to take pilchards on some days than on others is authoritatively vouched for.

A school of pilchards is indicated by the flip of the tail when the fish are at play near the surface of the water. Results, however, are not always what might be expected. A single flip, Mr. Cameron points out, may uncover a school which yields a harvest of fifty or even 100 or more tons; on the other hand, a multitude of flipping tails may disappoint the promise of a big haul with a modest ten tons.

As is well known now, of course, the pilchard is a small fish, weighing about six ounces, or a little more than a herring, but making up in quantity and quality for its diminutive size. It is finely flavored, rich in oil, and has markings somewhat similar to the mackerel. It is classified, however, as a member of the sardine family.

QUITE OBVIOUS

AS THE TIMES OBSERVED THREE days ago, the result of the general election in this country on Monday, far from promising any encouragement to Lord Beaverbrook's empire free trade policy, amounted to a notice to Great Britain that in future the duties British goods will have to pay to enter Canada will be as high as the duties foreign goods have to pay. The British preference will be abolished by the new government and Canada's fiscal policy as far as it may concern Old Country products will be designed without regard for what the MacDonald or any succeeding British government may do. On this aspect of Canada's decision The New York Times comments in part as follows:

From the Canadian election, with its apparent endorsement of the policy of high protection, Lord Beaverbrook and the other advocates of "free trade within the empire," are not entitled to draw much satisfaction.

It may be doubtful about the Beaverbrook plan to erect a tariff wall around the British Empire, but it is in no doubt at all about its own determination to erect a tariff wall around the Dominion of Canada. Over that wall it would not permit other British colonies or Dominions to climb. One of the grievances much exploited in the recent Canadian political campaign was the importation of large quantities of butter from New Zealand. This was regarded as an outrage upon Canadian dairy farmers, which must be stopped by an appropriate customs duty. This is the kind of thing which happens when a country, any country, begins to go in for a protective tariff. Once started, it must go the whole figure. Australia has already enacted a new tariff prejudicial to British imports, and Canada will be doing the same thing in a few months if Mr. Bennett and the Conservative party carry out faithfully the pledge which they made in the course of their campaign. Far from aiding the Beaverbrook plan, the Canadian election has erected a new distinct and formidable obstacle to it.

It will be recalled that on the day after the election Lord Beaverbrook expressed the view that the decision of the Canadian people represented a distinct victory for the cause of empire free trade. But he seemed to overlook the chief fact that the Dunning budget with its provisions for a still greater preference for British goods was decisively defeated, its author himself losing his own seat.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

IT'LL BE COMMON KNOWLEDGE SOON

The New York Times

What is it the country needs most to lift it out of the doldrums? Everybody agrees it needs an increase of purchasing power.

FINE FOR JUNK MEN

The Detroit News

This tariff, after all, can't be as bad as we imagined. Joe sticks, muzzleloading muskets, leeches, canceled stamps, cellos manufactured before 1890 and broken bells are still to be found on the free list.

CONSCRIPTION OF WEALTH

The New York Herald-Tribune

President Hoover made a signal contribution to the national defense act by the preservation of peace when he signed the resolution providing for the commission to study the question of drafting wealth and industry as well as man power in time of war. It would cost nothing to-day and would save immense numbers of lives and quantities of treasure in the future if legislation authorizing mobilization of men and resources in time of war were enacted in time of peace. Without a selective service law we could do little to protect ourselves in war-time, and without a law conscripting wealth we would once again be subject to extravagance, inefficiency and profligacy. The conscription of wealth is thus not only a matter of elementary fairness to the men who must risk their lives; it is in the interests of national welfare.

TOUGH GUYS

The Detroit Free Press

The American immigration officials stationed at this port used crude methods of procedure when they went to a dock in Windsor and held up excursion boats for an hour while they examined those who were embarking for a Dominion Day celebration at Put-In-Bay and Truham Park. The Canadian border officials are able to treat people from the United States considerably and courteously, and in a way which gives no offence, and it is extraordinary that American border officials are unable to emulate them. For many years hundreds of thousands of people have been going from Detroit to Bois Blanc every year without being subjected to annoyance, and yet the Canadian immigration service has been effective.

A THOUGHT

Thou shalt have no other Gods before me—Exodus xx 3.

God is the only sure foundation on which the mind can rest.—S. Irenaeus Prime.

Loose Ends

The natural order of things returns—and proves as unnatural as ever—proving that the girls have not changed in anything except their headgear.

By H. B. W.

A LAST summer, you will recall, life was made miserable for male human beings, by the campaign of vilification and ridicule conducted by females. From every side they mocked our unhygienic, hot summer clothing while bewailing that, with their short skirts and negligee gowns, they had gone back to nature and health. And when a few daring male souls in Britain and the United States ventured on the streets sensibly clad in shorts and open-necked shirts, or even in more sensible pyjamas, they were greeted with the concentrated scorn of the entire feminine world. At that time there wasn't much a man could say. The charge, alas, was all too true. Women were sensibly dressed, and we were still enslaved by the Victorian tradition of discomfort and respectability at all costs. A man could only lie to the ridicule, grin foolishly and bear it as he has borne everything since time began. Yet he knew in his secret heart that this injustice could not continue, that women could not display this unnatural intelligence much longer.

AND SO, brethren, it has come to pass. On every street corner of this very city to-day you will see the evidence of returning normality or, rather, so far as women are concerned, of returning abnormality. For, after protecting all other parts of their bodies from the heat by wearing the most sensible clothes imaginable, our women have one and all taken to wearing heavy woolen hats, tight about their heads, as hot as a bread poultice and quite as decorative. Ungallant as it is, you cannot escape the deduction that they do not consider anything above the neck worth saving, and they should know best.

APPARENTLY NO ONE has escaped this scourge. Wherever you go you will find this amazing summer headgear, which was evidently designed originally for protection against a Russian winter. Let not the people who sell these hats be alarmed lest mention of them should discourage their sale. They are, the fashion, and nothing that anyone could say against them would matter in the least. Any reference to their absurdity, on the contrary, only advertises them the more. But the wise dealer will import some kind of flimsy, perforated hat, easily permeated by wind and rain, to serve the certain demands of fashion for the freezing days of next January.

ALL THIS, of course, does not prove that this sex is more sensible than the other. It only establishes their equal stupidity. But a better day is coming by and bye. As Margaret recently the sanitary authorities of Britain conferred together and looked forward solemnly to the day when they would regulate the dress of the population, to save the public health. Much as they inspect plumbing and drains now, they would deal with those equally objectionable features of our civilization, stiff collars, bowler hats and tight vests, and you can be sure that no competent city sanitary inspector would long tolerate the woolen caps which are making our women look like Cossacks in the depth of a Russian December. These things, however, will come slowly. Women, it is true, are short skirts at the dictate of fashion, even if their legs were a continual source of despair to them, but this was not the act of heroism which many supposed. It was not that they were unafraid of looking ridiculous, but were more afraid of being out of the mode. Men are bolder, but not very bold. Nothing but their fear of fashion will persuade them to reveal their figures until they have become shapely enough to defy public inspection. And as they never will be shapely enough so long as the present clothes are worn, the case is rather hopeless.

NOT LONG AGO, in a moment of soft sentimentality, I told you of the large family of quail who came into the world not far from here and used to spend their formative years in a depth of plumage, safe from the roving eyes of their enemies, and with their father perched up on my little rose pergola, keeping watch over them. The young quail were half the size of day-old chicks, then little balls of brown fluff which ran along the ground at a remarkable speed.

I PREDICTED AT that time, out of a long experience, that a dire fate would befall the young quail. I had seen what the cats of our neighborhood (peculiarly vicious the cats are, very much like some of the other inhabitants) could do to young quail. I fully expected to find the whole family wiped out one day, with only a few feathers to tell story of their tragedy. It used to make me fluff melancholy to see those little balls of fluff scurrying among my delphiniums while their father watched over them so confidently, when I knew that the end was not far off.

I AM JUST mentioning these facts in case anyone with a redeeming sentimental turn of mind might have been worrying about the quail as I have been. I just want them to know that the incredible has happened and the baby quail have survived. I found them consuming my green peas this morning with great gusto. They are old enough to fly now and quite capable of consuming all my vegetables, so I think you may relieve your mind of anxiety and stop worrying over them. My vegetables are more entitled to your consideration.

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The Weather

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, Aug. 2.—A. m.—The barometer remains high on the coast and fine, warm weather extends eastward to Manitoba.

Report.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 82; minimum, 65; wind, 11 miles W. weather, fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 60; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 56; wind, 11 miles W. weather, clear.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 65; minimum, 50; wind, 11 miles E. rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 50; wind, 14 miles W. weather, cloudy.

Temperature	Max.	Min.
Victoria	82	65
Nanaimo	80	64
Vancouver	78	60
New Westminster	71	53
Port Moody	70	52
Prince George	64	50
Port Arthur	64	50
Edmonton	64	50
Calgary	64	50
Regina	64	50
Winnipeg	64	50
Saskatoon	64	50
Toronto	64	50
Ottawa	64	50
Montreal	64	50
St. John	64	50
Halifax	64	50
Quebec	64	50

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication, should be sent to the Editor, The Victoria Daily Times, 1013 Langley Street, Victoria, B.C., and should be accompanied by a return address. All communications must be in English and should be signed by the writer, but not for publication. The Editor reserves the right to accept or reject of articles in a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the Editor for the preservation or return to the writers of communications submitted to the Editor.

URGENT

To the Editor:—In dealing with the defeat of the Liberal Party you are to be congratulated on the broad view you have taken of the matter, showing plainly that any undertaking advanced by the Government is a matter of public interest that is for the general benefit of this island will receive your hearty support. You do not say so in so many words, but your leading is convincing proof that it will not be a matter of political expediency with you but rather that which will be of advantage to this island, even if it is from a Conservative source, that is a most praiseworthy attitude in the matter. I am glad you have taken this stand, it is highly important and in the interest of all concerned.

There is a most pressing question that should receive the hearty support of all shades of politics on Vancouver Island, especially at this time when unemployment is a most urgent matter. The Dominion Government is going as far as to summon Parliament to devise means to cope with it. We on Vancouver Island have amply provided for the relief of the unemployed, but we are in our allowance, due from the Canadian National, as they have on the mainland, and in the unfilled places of the C.N.R. we have to our credit some eight million dollars or more, the value of one hundred and seventy miles of unfinished railway on Vancouver Island, and as forewarned by Sir Henry Thornton, when he addressed the trades and labor delegates and myself, during his last visit here. He stated that he considered (on the suggestion advanced by the deputations) that the amount that would be required to be used in completing the railway on Vancouver Island be made use of in the building of a new road on the Island. Sir Henry considered this a good suggestion and that as the question of trunk roads was a provincial matter he would take the question up with Premier Talmie (of building automobile roads) and endeavor to arrange the same in a mutually satisfactory manner. As the two governments are a unit our claim can be placed in a channel that will bring results, and having the three controlling parties in line—the government at Ottawa, Sir Henry Thornton and the provincial government, provides an opportunity that we should take hold of and move at once. The unemployed question on the Island will be met and Vancouver Island will reap a rich return and at same time we will have gathered in an old debt long over due.

R. T. WILLIAMS
934 View Street, Victoria, B.C.,
August 1, 1930.

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Aberdeen, Wash., Aug. 2.—Bringing the Pan-Pacific Conference to the Pacific Northwest to-day became the duty of Rotary club of the first district, embracing Washington, British Columbia, Oregon, Idaho and Alaska. The Rotarians, here for the annual conference of presidents and secretaries, passed a resolution inviting the all-Pacific session to this territory. Portland was selected for the 1931 meeting of the Rotary officials.

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SPECIALISTS TAKE PRIZES FOR FLOWERS

Experts in Culture of Different Varieties Win Feature Prizes at Show Here

Mrs. J. A. Hiberson Given High Praise For Excellent Sweet Pea Displays

Specialists in the cultivation of different varieties of flowers gained the majority of laurels at the Victoria Horticultural Society's annual Flower Show in the Shrine Auditorium yesterday and to-day it was shown in the prize lists released late yesterday. In the sweet pea section J. A. Hiberson and Miss F. E. Garrett virtually made a clean sweep of the awards, while in the rose displays R. A. Nicholson and B. S. Walker were the outstanding competitors.

In the cut flower general division, the above winners also succeeded in adding to their awards, while Mrs. J. S. Clark, Mrs. A. R. Harness, Angus McKay, Mrs. J. A. Hiberson, Dr. A. G. Price and Albert Smith also placed very highly. Albert Smith and J. A. Hiberson placed first and second in seven of ten contests for potted plants, while in the general artistic displays, they finished in the same order.

Wendy Ballie won the prize for the best collection of wild flowers open to children under sixteen and placed second in the contest for the best bowl of wild flowers arranged by children under twelve. The latter was won by Gordon Simpson.

In the vegetable class George Little, J. A. Hiberson, Albert Smith, J. A. Nunn, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, H. Stetson, J. Stetson, B. F. Leighton and T. Deveson won the majority of awards.

FINE SWEET PEAS
Particular interest was shown in the displays of Mrs. J. A. Hiberson, whose splendid sweet peas of unusual size and exquisite coloring proved one of the features of the display.

Mayor Anson's prize for the best display of hardy cut flowers was won by F. B. Robinson with a brilliant collection of blooms.

Splendid roses were shown by H. O. Simpson, whose entry won the district display contest in its particular section. The show continued to-day and will close this evening with the announcement of trophies prize winners. Awards, won by different contestants, will be distributed by Mayor Anson and Mrs. A. V. Price, at 8 o'clock. This afternoon at 3 o'clock, pupils of the Florence Clough Dancing Academy again gave a delightful programme of dancing and will be seen again this evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Following the prize presentation, the exhibits will be auctioned off.

Among the visitors of note at the show yesterday was Mrs. William J. Lin of Sacramento, who recently officiated as judge at that city's flower show. She was loud in her praise of the blooms on display in the Shrine Auditorium and commended the society highly for its splendid exhibition.

PRIZE WINNERS

Winners of the different contests yesterday, were as follows:
Group display of potted plants—1, Albert Smith; 2, J. A. Hiberson.
Group display of cut flowers with cut foliage—Evan Jones.
Collection of blue and mauve cut flowers—1, Mrs. J. A. Hiberson; 2, Mrs. G. C. Howell; 3, Angus McKay.
Collection of cut flowers, outside grown—1, Mrs. J. A. Hiberson; 2, Angus McKay; 3, Dr. A. G. Price.
Bowl of cut flowers, outside grown—1, Mrs. G. C. Howell; 2, O. Stravford; 3, Mrs. Donald Edwards.
District display of roses, 24 varieties—H. O. Simpson.

ROSES

Roses, 12 named varieties—1, R. A. Nicholson; 2, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 3, B. S. Walker; 4, R. A. Nicholson; 5, J. S. Gill.
Roses, 6 named varieties—1, B. S. Walker; 2, R. A. Nicholson; 3, J. S. Gill.
Roses, 6 in bowl, any variety—1, R. A. Nicholson; 2, F. E. Garrett; 3, J. S. Gill.
Bowl of mixed roses—1, R. A. Nicholson; 2, B. S. Walker; 3, J. S. Gill.
1 specimen bloom—1, B. S. Walker; 2, J. A. Hiberson; 3, R. A. Nicholson.

SWEET PEAS

12 named varieties—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, F. T. Rawlins; 3, Albert Smith.
6 named varieties—1, Miss F. E. Garrett; 2, J. A. Hiberson; 3, J. A. Hiberson.
Bowl of mixed sweet peas—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Miss F. E. Garrett; 3, L. T. Hall.

FLOWERS (GENERAL)

Antirrhinum, 4 varieties—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Albert Smith.
Antirrhinum, 2 varieties—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Dr. A. G. Price.
Bouvardia, 1 variety—1, Angus McKay; 2, F. T. Rawlins; 3, William Davenport.
Fuchsia, 12 blooms—1, R. A. Nicholson; 2, Angus McKay.
Fuchsia, 9 blooms—1, Mrs. E. C. Mayers; 2, R. A. Nicholson.
Verbena, 9 blooms, any variety—1, Mrs. A. R. Harness; 2, J. A. Hiberson; 3, J. A. Hiberson.

Stocks, 4 plants, different varieties—1, Mrs. J. S. Clark; 2, Mrs. J. Bruce; 3, Mrs. J. S. Clark; 4, Mrs. J. Bruce; 5, Dr. A. G. Price.
Salpiglossis, 1 vase of 12 spikes—1, Albert Smith; 2, Mrs. A. R. Harness; 3, D. McCall.
Penstemon, 6 spikes—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Mrs. A. R. Harness.
Phlox, perennial, 2 varieties—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Mrs. A. R. Harness.

Gladiolus, 12 varieties, named—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Mrs. A. R. Harness; 3, Mrs. A. R. Harness.
Gladiolus, 6 varieties, named—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, J. A. Hiberson; 3, Mrs. A. R. Harness.
Gladiolus, 12 spikes—1, Albert Smith; 2, R. A. Nicholson.
Gladiolus, 6 spikes—1, Mrs. G. C. Howell; 2, R. A. Nicholson; 3, Mrs. A. R. Harness.

Specimen gladiolus bloom. Open to

any one who has not previously won a prize with gladiolus—1, Mrs. G. C. Howell; 2, J. A. Hiberson; 3, J. A. Nunn.
Perennial, 6 varieties—1, Mrs. A. R. Harness; 2, Angus McKay.
Annuals, 12 varieties—1, Dr. A. G. Price; 2, Mrs. J. S. Clark; 3, Albert Smith.
Annuals, 6 varieties—1, O. Stravford; 2, Dr. A. G. Price; 3, Mrs. A. R. Harness.
Dahlias, 12 named varieties—1, Albert Smith; 2, R. A. Nicholson.
Dahlias, 6 named varieties—1, Albert Smith; 2, Mrs. J. Bruce; 3, R. A. Nicholson.
Seeding dahlias, best seedling dahlias, not yet in commerce, raised in Victoria—Mrs. J. Bruce.

POT PLANTS

Begonia, 1 tuberous-rooted—1, Albert Smith; 2, J. A. Hiberson.
Fuchsia, 1 in 6-inch pot—1, Albert Smith; 2, J. A. Hiberson.
Geranium, 1—1, Albert Smith; 2, J. A. Hiberson.
Foliage plant, in pot or tub—1, William Davenport; 2, J. A. Hiberson.
Plant in bloom, in pot or tub—1, George Little; 2, H. G. Knight.
Window box—1, Albert Smith; 2, J. A. Hiberson.

WILD FLOWERS

Collection of wild flowers. Open to children 16 years and under—1, Wendy Ballie; 2, B. S. Walker.
Bowl of wild flowers. Open to children 12 years and under—1, Gordon Simpson; 2, Wendy Ballie.

FRUIT

Collection of small fruits on plates—1, Mrs. E. W. Darcus; 2, Albert Smith.
Cherries, sour—1, G. Deveson; 2, George Little (Svan Street).
Cherries, sweet—A. H. Gaiger.
Currants, black—Mrs. E. W. Darcus.
Currants, red—1, T. E. Astley; 2, Mrs. E. W. Darcus.

Currants, white—1, T. E. Astley; 2, Mrs. E. W. Darcus.
Gooseberries, red—1, T. E. Astley; 2, Albert Smith.
Gooseberries, yellow, 1 plate—1, Mrs. Mowat.
Loganberries, 1 plate—1, Mrs. E. W. Darcus.

Raspberries, 1 plate—1, George Little (Svan Street); 2, Albert Smith.
Pineapple, on plate—W. O. Flight.
Peaches—1, E. Tomlin; 2, Mrs. Edridge.

VEGETABLES

Display of vegetables, 8 distinct kinds—1, George Little; 2, A. Tyrell; 3, Albert Smith.
Beans, broad Windsor, 12 pods—1, A. Tyrell; 2, W. B. Pyles.
Beans, broad Windsor, 12 pods—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, Mrs. J. A. Hiberson; 3, J. A. Hiberson.

Beans, dwarf green, 12 pods—1, A. Tyrell; 2, Mrs. J. S. Clark.
Beans, dwarf wax, 12 pods—1, George Little; 2, J. A. Hiberson.
Beets, long—1, J. A. Hiberson; 2, George Little.
Beets, round, 6 roots—1, F. Moulles; 2, T. E. Astley; 3, George Little.
Cabbage, pointed—1, Albert Smith; 2, George Little.
Cabbage, round—1, George Little; 2, H. Stetson; 3, J. A. Hiberson.

Carrots, short—1, J. A. Nunn; 2, H. Stetson.
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Oyster Linen Luncheon Sets with embroidery and cut work—

36x36-inch cloth and 4 napkins. Regular \$10.95 a set, for..... **\$6.50**
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Pure Linen Damask Sets, cloth with 12 napkins. Sizes 70x70, 70x88 and 70x108 inches. A set, **\$8.39**, **\$9.49**, **\$12.95** and..... **\$13.95**

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Luncheon Sets in colorful cross-stitch designs. 36x36-inch cloth and 4 napkins. A set..... **\$3.98**

Luncheon Sets in white or colors—damask cloth, 45x45 inches and 6 damask napkins. A set, **\$3.50**, **\$4.50**, **\$4.95**, **\$5.95** and..... **\$6.95**

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Nickel-plated Toaster, with cord. A very special value for August Sale at..... **\$3.95**

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These fine Rugs are shown in all the latest designs and are great values at the sale prices—

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Rugs 9.0x12.0. On sale for..... **\$39.90**

Big Value Offerings in Men's and Women's Dresses and Suits Monday

WASH DRESSES

Smart Styles for Your August Holiday

Dresses of printed voile and rayon, with long or short sleeves; skirts pleated or flared. Smart styles in sizes 16 to 44..... **\$3.95**

Dresses of crepe de Chine, in sports styles; sleeveless, with pleated, belted waisted skirts. Sizes 16 to 38..... **\$6.75**

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Harvey's Nightgowns of better quality rayon silk. Tailored or lace-trimmed styles and pretty colors. Each..... **\$3.50**
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BERNARD SHAW'S FATHER DRINKER SAYS NOVELIST

In Preface to New Edition of Works, Tells of Social Stracism

London, Aug. 2.—George Bernard Shaw, with his customary Shawian frankness, in the preface to a new edition of his works, tells the world his father was a drunkard. In the days of his early youth his family suffered social ostracism because of his father's habits.

Shaw also says: "Fortunately or unfortunately (it all depends upon how you look at it), the doors of society were closed to his family." The elder Shaw, it seems, was not a convivial drinker, but was wracked with shame and remorse when in his cups and after a mild fit he became a teetotaler—as his famous son always has been—but too late to save the family status.

"If you cannot get rid of the family skeleton you may still make it dance," says Shaw in revealing passages which seek to explain his shyness in breaking into the limelight when he first arrived in London many years ago.

ARION CLUB TO GIVE CONCERT

Fine Programme For Open-air Recital Tuesday at Buildings

The Arion Club has prepared an admirable programme of popular and classical music for its annual open-air recital, to be given at the Parliament Buildings on Tuesday evening next.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson, gold medalist soprano, will be soloist. Frank J. Schell will act as conductor, and the accompanist will be E. Holloway.

The programme, in detail, follows:
 1. "Proudly as the Eagle".... Louis Spohr
 2. "On the Sea".... Dudley Buck
 3. "Spirits".... Edwin Schuller
 4. "Forest Song".... Edwin Schuller
 5. "Requies".... Mrs. W. H. Wilson
 6. "Rolling Down to Rio".... Edward German
 7. "Viking Song".... Coleridge Taylor
 8. "Archer's Marching Song".... Arthur Thayer
 9. "The Song of the Lark".... Frederick Sullivan
 10. "Soldiers' Chorus" (Patriotic).... Coulted

TO SHARE FORTUNE

Pocatello, Idaho, Aug. 2.—E. F. Van Horn, magazine solicitor and collector, was informed yesterday he is an heir of Baron Gilbert Van Horn, who made a fortune in South America before the World War and who was lost on the Lusitania.

The estate is said to be valued at \$5,000,000, and indications are Van Horn and a brother, Major Van Horn of Milwaukee, Northern Prussia, are the heirs.

A BOON TO GOLFERS
 There is usually a tendency to stiffness on the second day after the game of golf—this is particularly so at the beginning of the season... and unless you safeguard yourself against this tendency, you are liable to experience considerable discomfort for several days.

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HANDSOME GIFTS TO SOLARIUM DURING JUNE

Directors Acknowledge With Gratitude Many Generous Donations in Cash and Kind

Handsome donations of \$5,000 from W. C. Todd and E. D. Todd, in memory of their late mother a gift of a \$1,000 from J. A. Hayward, and of \$250 from W. B. Lanigan, were among the generous contributions made to the Queen Alexandra Solarium during June and gratefully acknowledged by the directors together with the following:

Canadian Girls in Training, Kirk of the Woods, Nixon Creek, per H. S. Gridley, pastor, \$45.25; Miss Women's Institute, East Arrow Park, \$5.00; Mrs. M. A. Inverarity, Duncan B.C., \$5.00; proceeds joint concert, Shriner's Band and Victoria Male Choir, \$154.25; Proceeds of dance by employees Empress Hotel laundry, \$30.00; Miss E. M. Bruce, Victoria, \$1.00; Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., Victoria, \$40.00; Collection of dance by employees Empress Hotel laundry, \$30.00; Wynndel Women's Institute, Wynndel, B.C., \$25.00; In memory of Geo. S. Brown, Victoria, per Rev. F. S. Stephenson, \$5.00; Alleen Frank, Victoria, per Miss Stone, \$5.00; Mrs. W. Britton, Harrop, B.C., \$5.00; Mrs. F. J. Ford, Box 238 Penticton, \$50.25; Deliberate Club, per Mrs. C. Hill-Tout and Philip Jackson, \$21.00; District Company, Canadian Girl Guides, Saanichton, per Mrs. Gale, \$17.50; Mrs. E. S. G. Dottridge, London, Eng., \$10.00; Children of Cordova Bay Beach, proceeds of concert, per Mrs. Meaton, \$29.60; Joan Austin-Leigh and Violet Field, 1447 St. David Street, \$1.50.

Mrs. Wace, Cobble Hill, lettuce; J. Newbriding, Victoria, tea roll; Mrs. Thompson, Royal Oak, two sacks peas; pupils of Sumas School, Sumas, dolls and scrap books; Langford Women's Institute, Langford, Jan; Mrs. Schilling, Deep Cove, peas; Mrs. Blake, Cobble Hill, lettuce; Mr. and Mrs. Wingate-White, Cobble Hill, Jan; Miss Ellen Fraser, Upland, tea and cream; Mrs. Appleton, Penticton, cherries; Anonymous, thirteen bed spreads and three screen covers; Capt. and Mrs. Hughes, Miss Ray, spinach and lettuce; J. Jones, Victoria, one sack tea roll; Lutz and Happy Valley W. I., Laxton, one case eggs; Major Barclay Huntton, Cowichan Station, lettuce and beans; Mrs. Watson, Shagan Lake, children's books; Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Victoria, eight jars jelly; Mrs. Moss, Cobble Hill, Jan; "Joey," one sack peas; Mrs. R. L. Drury, funny papers; Daughter of the Nile, Victoria, nine sack tea rolls; Lutz and twenty-two nighties; Mrs. P. Wollaston, 1752 Oak Bay Avenue, afghan and dolls; Miss Gertrude Day, R.M.D., 4 Quadra Street, two scrap books; Lady Lake 1004 Terrace Avenue, toys and working materials; Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E., Sidney, clothing, two sweaters, cake and flowers; Mrs. Mann, Tates Street, two pairs stockings; Mrs. E. Temple, Saanichton, one large box groceries, candy and fruit; Junior Red Cross, Hopington, B.C., toys.

Nils Asther And Vivian Duncan Wed at Reno

Reno, Nevada, Aug. 2.—Nils Asther, Hollywood, and Vivian Duncan, actress, were married yesterday by Judge Thomas F. Moran in Washoe county district courthouse. Miss Duncan and Asther gave their ages as "over twenty-one" and their residences as Hollywood, and each said they had not been married before. Rosetta Duncan was a witness.

PASSED WITH HONORS



MARIAN SKELLERN
 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Skellern, 423 Arnold Avenue, who passed with honors in the piano elementary school grade Toronto exams. She also won success in the Victoria Musical Festival of 1929 and 1930.

Lady Flier Tells of Thrill of Her Initial Victoria to Vancouver Flight

She Made Her Will and Left Everything in Order, But Her Fears Were Soon Dispelled and Now She Smiles at Those Who See Danger in Soaring Among the Clouds

When we do something for the first time in our lives, it assumes a prominence that is not attained on repetition. Our first step taken in babyhood was of more importance than that which followed. The first word we uttered thrilled our parents more than subsequent words. The first long trousers worn by boys were of more interest than second pair, and the first dollar earned secured a small fortune. So on through the years, our first experiences are impressed on our memories in an indelible manner. It gives us pleasure to recall and talk about these first events, so I suppose it is not strange that I want to write about my first flight in the air, not in fancy but in reality.

LUMINOUS AUBREY
 It was not long ago I made the assertion that motoring was a fast enough means of travel for me, that I would not do in the very thing we will do, and in many cases, shortly after making the remark to the contrary. Perhaps had my friends been trained from traveling by air I might not have changed my mind so quickly, but when one after another announces to me that he or she had flown to the Mainland, my curiosity was aroused to the point that I decided to have this experience myself.

You may have noticed, as I have, that those who have had the experience of a seaplane or airplane trip assume an attitude of superiority over those who have not been so fortunate. Since I have had the experience, I feel quite superior to those who have not.

had a trip in the air, so I know now that when my friends were relating to me their stories about this particular kind of adventure, their attitude of superiority was not assumed. There is another strange side to traveling by air. When you decide to take the plunge, I should say right, you have a mad desire to tell everyone that you are going to fly, and when the flight has been accomplished you cannot refrain from broadcasting the news. As a topic of conversation for the moment it has surgical operations relegated to the background.

THRUSTING FAR AHEAD
 When you are endeavoring to make up your mind to fly, so many obstacles crop up. Possibly the first hindrance is fear, fear that it may be the first and last trip, but when you remember that you have frequently made the assertion that you are a fatalist, the thought of fear is thrust aside. The cost also looms up, but when you have had the trip you marvel that the company does not charge a greater charge for it is one of the most wonderful experiences one can have in the line of travel, and, as the saying goes, you have to pay for experience. You also have a feeling you must leave everything in order. You ascertain if your life insurance will hold good if you are lost in an airplane accident. Your personal effects are left in order, so that in case of accident your friends will not discover you are a more untidy person than they already think. The weather conditions also enter into this problem, and you feel you must have a fine calm day for the trip.

TENDER FAREWELL
 Having overcome all such obstacles and many more, I had reached the point of preparing to leave on this momentous journey, such as making a few last requests in case I did not return and bidding a few tender farewells, when a friend with whom I had shared a sweetpotato ticket on a glitzy quick scheme, took me by the arm and said, "You had better leave that ticket with me." I fully realized then that my nearest and dearest friends were in doubt as to the possibility of my return, but it did hurt me to think that one of them should put such a mercenary aspect on the affair.

Having been told to be at the float at 1.15, from where the seaplane leaves, I was somewhat perturbed when I found that the taxi driver whom I had summoned did not know where this particular spot in the harbor was located. The only information he could get was that it was near the outer wharf. There is no pleasure in being on your way and not know where you are going, when you want to be on time and in a hurry to reach a desired spot, a location on the harbor that was then looming up at me at that time as the most important bit of waterfront in Victoria.

After what seemed an interminable time, we found someone who knew where I wanted to go, and my final slowed up on a bit of roadway running down to a small wharf at the east side of Blackman and Kere plant near the outer wharf.

THE PLACE WASN'T THERE
 Alighting from the taxi, I hurried along the gangplank, or whatever the approach to the float is called. There was no plane in sight, and oh, how my spirits fell as I felt sure that I had missed the boat. Just at that moment

an employee of the Alaska, Washington Airways B.C. came out from a little office on the float and announced to me that the plane was late in getting in from Vancouver. My spirits rose again to what might be called boiling point. I was getting "hot," a term that was applied to a game played in childhood days to designate that the blindfolded person was bearing the object that the remainder of the children were concentrating upon.

I then looked for a place to rest while awaiting the arrival of the plane. A couple of camp stools were occupied by men and, on a bench, the only other spot to rest, three young men were seated. So I went and sat down beside them. They were talking about the non-arrival of the plane and were making conjectures as to what was causing the delay.

"It is often late," I asked.
 "No, it is nearly always on time. Something must have happened," he replied.
 To me "something" meant the worst of that there would be no return of that particular plane. It also seemed to me that there was a decided feeling of anxiety among those on the float connected with the Airways firm.

How easy it is to jump to conclusions.
 A little later what seemed to be a large bird loomed on the horizon.
HERE SHE COMES
 As it approached, with the assistance of my eyes and ears, I discovered it was the plane for which I was anxiously waiting.
 It swooped down into the harbor.



WASHINGTON-ALASKA PLANE READY FOR VANCOUVER FLIGHT.

sped along the water for some distance and then turned and headed for the float.
 On reaching it a little time elapsed before the engine died down, and then the pilot climbed out, and several passengers alighted.
 Preliminaries for the return trip were made and then one of the most exciting moments arrived. The passengers lined up to go aboard.

There were five men and myself, and we went single file along the gangway, climbed into the compartment and were seated in the plane in the manner of the animals entering the ark, two and two and two.

The seats in this compartment of necessity are very close together while the two men in such close proximity as to cause one of the passengers on this occasion to remark that a honeymoon couple would enjoy them.

This remark broke the ice so to speak.
DON'T MIND ME
 "This is my first trip," I remarked.
 "If I appear nervous, please pay no attention to me."

Being the only woman passenger, I felt a little that the men would have preferred had I stayed my trip for another occasion. To my surprise, each in turn admitted that he also was nervous. The overheard means of travel for the first time.

We were all in the same category and I wondered if the saying that "on the water and under the turf, all men are equal" was true. It was a relief to know that the passengers were on all their initial flight.

At this juncture, one of the men asked if it flew out if James Island, to which he received the reply that he was not allowed to fly over the island but that he would take his course home.

The reason for this question was made obvious to us when this passenger announced that he lived on the island and that his family would be waiting for the plane to fly over. It was a relief to know that he had not been contemplating dropping a bomb on this island of seaplanes.

What funny thoughts come to us when we are under a strain! With all on board, pilot and six passengers, the attendant on the float closed the door of the compartment. We were shut in, ready for the next move in the exciting game of flying.

At that moment I had a feeling akin to what I have so often experienced sitting in a dentist's chair, with a sheet of rubber over my mouth, saline tube in place, all tension, with the dentist standing beside with the electric drill buzzing, a condition from which there is no escape and one that has to be endured.

The engine of the plane started. The roar of this intricate mechanism made further conversation impossible.
AWAY WE GO
 Possibly it was seconds, but it seemed to me minutes, before we started to ascend. The water in time with Work Point Barracks.

It was a decidedly pleasant sensation, feeling above the water and not at all what I had anticipated.
 Then I felt sure that the thrills would come when we would begin to ascend.
 Going at a great rate of speed, it appeared to me we were going to hit other shore, when the pilot changed his course and headed for the entrance to the inner harbor.
 Coming towards us was the afternoon

boat from Vancouver and from my seat in the plane, I felt we were rather too near the incoming boat for comfort.
 Then again all my fears were dispelled for we sailed past the ship like a bird, and it was not until the passengers on the decks or the ship hurried to the side to see the plane, did I comprehend that we were above the decks of the ship and in the air. It was difficult to convince myself that I was in the air and somewhat disappointing to find there had been no sensation on leaving the earth, or if you wish to be exact, the water in this case.

FEAR DISPELLED
 There again all fear had been dispelled as I had fully anticipated in accordance to experience that according to sensation that one does when they are whisked in an elevator that does not stop until it has reached the top floor of a tall building.

By this time, I was commencing to adjust myself to the new means of travel and beginning to pick out the familiar landmarks as we sailed by. The breakfast, the sea wall along Ross Bay, Foul Bay, Oak Bay and so on, but looking at them from above gave me such a different impression that I had a feeling that I much preferred gazing on them from a boat or a motor.

True to his word, the pilot flew near enough to James Island for us all to have a good view and I was anxious to see the net-work of railway tracks leading to all parts of the island. The red roofs of all the buildings gave a colorful aspect to this picture as seen from the sea plane.
 Salt Spring Island as seen from the air gave one the impression that it



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has shriveled up as do all the other islands near it.
 It seemed no time before we were sailing over Sumpter's Pass and as we were flying high then, the channel between the islands which is so picturesque from the boat, seemed like a sluggish stream, and I was amazed at the time, looked like toys.

For a short time after leaving Sumpter's Pass, the water of the Gulf of Georgia was very blue but it suddenly changed to a gray as it met the waters from the Fraser River. Fishing craft on the Gulf looked like mosquitoes from our vantage point.

ALL OVER
 Having become accustomed to sitting in the air, and having no feeling of being drawn through it and having no discomfort and no fear, it dawned on me that we were riding down the air to the landing float on the Fraser River. Another pleasant sensation minus all fear. We touched the water so gently that it was not until I saw the spray from the pontoons did I know the plane was on the river. In no time, we were at the wharf and were climbing out of the compartment and walking across a carpeted gang plank to the sidewalk.

The long anticipated trip was over. I was back to earth, so were the other five passengers and the pilot, a condition for which I had had grave doubts forty-five minutes before. It made me smile to myself to think that I had taken in Victoria the precautionary methods as to even making a few last requests prior to leaving.

We have no worries about the outcome of a trip, or one on land and I am sure all will have the same attitude towards transportation by air after the initial flight has been experienced.

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PEGGY LOWE
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YOUR BABY and MINE



Mrs. Moore will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will obtain a personal reply.

TEACH CHILDREN CAUTION OF FIRE, NOT FEAR OF IT

Walking along an uptown street not so long ago my attention was drawn to a group of interested children. Something about their attitude indicated that they were into mischief. A collection of papers, refuse, and excrement had been stuffed into a gunny sack and dumped beside an apartment house steps awaiting the garbage man. The children were huddled behind the sack, in the triangle made by it and the steps, industriously blowing upon a half-smoked cigarette hopefully trying to light the excrement. They were about seven years of age, seemingly old enough to know their danger, but there they stood unmindful of the fact that had the refuse ignited they would have been trapped.

We know it isn't possible for parents to watch children of this age constantly, yet fire is a danger which some time or another every child is certain to meet. Like all dangers it should be known, understood and respected. It seems better to allow children to handle matches and learn their legitimate use than to arouse such a consuming desire to make use of them that they are compelled to hide behind inflammable objects to carry out their cherished project.

WATCH YOUR ACTIONS
 Adults act too casually toward fire. They talk of its dangers and then dump kerosene on live coals, strike matches carelessly and ignite the turned-on gas, light cigarettes and cigars and puff them, indifferent to the flames so near their face. Children are fascinated by these acts and at some propitious moment are certain to imitate them. The lighted cigarette probably tossed from some speeding car, or dropped by a passerby, offered

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By SISTER MARY
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When sour cream is used in cakes and cookies, very little other shortening is required. Keep in mind that one-half teaspoon soda is used to one cup sour cream and be careful not to use more. Too much soda gives an unpleasant flavor and injures the color of the food.

Many foreign recipes call for sour cream. Their soups and meat sauce gain much richness from sour cream. We make delicious salad dressing and cake fillings as well as cakes and cookies with sour cream. Almost any course in the meal gain richness and flavor by the addition of sour cream. So why worry about waste if the cream does turn sour?

THICKER CREAM PREFERRED
 There are, of course, two grades of sour cream, just as there are two grades of sweet cream. Table or coffee cream is light and contains less butter fat than the heavy cream required for whipping. The light cream separates in two layers on souring. The fat rises to the top and the milk which was left in the cream settles to the bottom. If the cream is skimmed from the top it is the same as the heavy cream, but if the top and bottom are stirred together the result is not as rich, and some other shortening must be used.

A pie or tart filling, or sour cream frosting, must be made of solid heavy cream. Quick breads, cakes and cookies can be made of light cream with additional shortening. Fruit or berries combined with a mixture of cream and eggs, and baked between two crusts, make a most delicious summer dessert.

Sour cream salad dressing is unusually good with fruit salads and does turn sour.

DAILY MENU
 Luncheon—String bean and tomato chowder, croissants, lettuce and egg salad sandwiches, watermelon, milk, tea.
 Dinner—Fattened beef loaf, lettuce potatoes, stuffed egg-plant, tomato and cabbage salad, red raspberry shortcake, milk, coffee.

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MARKSMEN WILL COMPETE
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enty furlongs; \$2.00, \$2.00, \$2.00
\$1.25, \$4.10; 3 Green Sam, \$5.95,
\$11.30; 3, Turudo Sam, \$4.45. Time
1:46 3-3.

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purse \$700; for two-year-olds; six fur-
longs-1-1. Glad Fred, \$11.10, \$4.20, \$2.20;
Jenkins Rochester, \$6.75, \$2.80; War-
ren, \$4.00. Time 1:13 2-3.

Sixth race, Claiming, purse \$500;
Western Canadian bred three-year-olds
and up; one mile-1-1. Cashie Mae, \$9.75,
\$5.00, \$2.00; 3, \$2.00, \$2.00, \$2.00;
Albert Lad, \$5.50. Time 1:41 3-3.

Seventh race, Claiming, purse \$600;
three-year-olds and up; one mile-1-1.
\$2.00, \$2.00, \$2.00; 3, \$2.00, \$2.00, \$2.00;
Skootin', \$15.40, \$7.75; 3, Slipper
to Slipper \$3.30. Time 1:40 1-3.

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NOW THAT HIS COLLEGE DAYS ARE OVER DORAL IS ... IN THE OIL BUSINESS IN ALBERTA

Startling Upsets Mark Semi-finals Of Tennis Tourney

e Coughlin Upsets Redoubtable Harrison in Three Sets, While Prusoff Downs Gove; Mary Campbell Fades With Victory in Sight and Bows to Mrs. Gross; Charlotte Miller Bests Mrs. Perow; All-American Finals in Every Event.

The adage that upsets run in series and not singly was well veated yesterday in the B.C. tennis tourney at the Willows when east four of the carded matches were won by the second choice. The biggest surprise of the day came in the men's singles when Coughlin of San Francisco defeated Bradshaw Harrison of Bruno and the University of Oregon in three sets, 6-8, 6-3, 6-3. After his singles defeat Harrison again went down to defeat the hands of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards in the quarter-finals the mixed doubles in three sets after one of the best mixed dles of the week.

the passing of Mary Campbell in her woman's singles at the hands of the Golden Era's Gove of San Francisco. Campbell fought hard but fell off in play during the second and third sets. Henry Prusoff of Seattle avenged her defeat by taking the match the next week by taking the Occidental Coliseum player into camp in three sets. The defeat of McCullum and Gordon by Prusoff and Gove was a surprise. Goren was somewhat surprising despite the fact that the Seattle pair had defeated Gove and Coughlin on Thursday night. Mrs. Gove and Harrison is a match that did not end until late in the evening had to go back on the court to play a semi-final against the Golden Era's Hagg. The results lost in straight sets in an uninteresting match that was played in a darkened court.

GRAND SLAM PLAYS WELL

GRAND SLAM played its first match has been one of his best shots all week. He lost to Prusoff at Vancouver and to Gove at Seattle. He appears to be much better and is a high favorite to win from the Seattle player to-day.

Prusoff reached the final round of the match when he defeated Grank Gove in a three set match. Gove reached Prusoff's low bouncing chops and sent them back with enough speed to make the Seattle man from handling them easily. Prusoff was not his offensive from the net. The winner took the first set 6-3 but Gove won the second, 6-2. Prusoff used a flat drive in the final set to win the match in a calm and steady, and he kept Gove on the run through out and only went in the net to finish off a rally. His services to the game were well appreciated and he really deserved more acs but Gove is considered one of the fastest men in the tournament and he got to many of the shots which proved his worth.

The match's scores were 6-3, 4-6, 8-6.

Hall of fame by defeating Brad Harrison who has only been beaten twice in his last two campaigns in the northwest. McGrover beat him in the first round of the campaign which was too accurate for the dynamic warrior who appeared listless. Harrison put everything into the first set and won 8-6 but the undaunted McGrover fought back and after fighting fiercely for the second set in the early stages gave up the tie and Coughlin got home at 9-3. Harrison started out with determination and played well but McGrover strengthened confidence put additional force into his shots and he raced the fast Harrison miles for every point made. Coughlin found real opportunity in the third set and took command.

But his hard hit forward drives openings in the side lines for moment ease. Coughlin went the last 100 yards in 10 minutes, and he kept the ball going with high space to worry the loser. Coughlin appears to be playing better than any time since he commenced the season. He has been in the midst of his streak of wild hitting that many points away from him. His hand drives are finding the side-line openings, and he is making the back lines upon many occasions. His back hand, supposedly weak

claimed by European countries who have out-thrown the athletes on this side of the pond decisively. We are led to believe that at the coming Olympic Games in Los Angeles there may be a different story to tell. Pilling has been the preparation for several of the athletic events that will sweep both Canada and the States. It is announced that next Saturday's games will provide the first act of three outstanding meets in which Canada's athletes promise to play an important part. Following the Canadian games comes the United States and the British Home Commonwealth meet, and the following are the international games at Chicago with Great Britain and the United States competing. This is the occasion that Canadian athletes will have the opportunity to win acclaim over the entire commonwealth nations and the States.

In the middle of the court on short shots which he had failed to put away, let the ball bounce and then made some fine shots. Mrs. Edwards was the best of the four players, and she bounced up wonderfully well under the attack of the other two players. She caught Brad Harrison several times when the latter reached across the net to intercept a shot that passed him in the spot where he started from. She was serving well and did not lose her service once in the last two sets. In the third set found the locals playing a steady game, while Harrison was tiring

Protege of Jim Jeffries H
San Francisco Barrister i
Bad Way at Finish

Morro's Inexperience Saved Armand From Knockout
Morro Springs to Front

Canadian Press
Hollywood, Calif., Aug. 2—

SPIRITED MATCH
The other semi-final in the mixed doubles between Mrs. Perow and Joe Coughlin and Col. C. Arthur and Frank Gove was a spirited encounter, and all four players made brilliant shots. Miss Gove was the victor in the first set, 6-4, while Gove was brilliant in all departments, but the Perow-Coughlin pair was too steady and too close. The match in straight sets at 8-6, 8-6.

Russell and Wren entered the arena in the fifth round and defeated the city champions, McCallum and Gordon. The losers took consolation prizes and were stronger than their rivals, but fell off badly in the following sets and were easily defeated by playing steady tennis. McCallum and Gordon did not make much of the consolation prize and killed everything in sight. The scores:

ere and 6-3, 6-3. "I like Marble, after a tough fight with Heleh Tatlow and Mary Campbell, breezed through the first round of the semifinals. Mrs. Perow's forehead was working well, while Miss Marble was hitting the boards accurately. The fight went to 7-7 before the southern players won the advantage.

The results followed set:

SEMI-FINALS

Morror's comparative inexperience saved Emanuel from a knockout. Tatlow, who had been in the ring only once before, when he won an easy decision over Tony Stabineau, veteran of the 1936 Olympic team, was

A SURPRISE

Morror's victory was a clean cut surprise. Emanuel had been picked to easily defeat his green opponent, and

Men's Singles
J. Coughlin defeated Bradshaw Harrison, 6-8, 6-3, 6-3.
H. Prusoff defeated F. Gove, 6-3, 4-6, 6-3.

Women's Singles
Miss C. Miller, defeated Mrs. Perow, 2-6, 6-3.
Mrs. G. M. Gross defeated Miss M. C. Miller, 6-3, 6-3.

Campbell, 2-6, 5-4, 1-1.
Women's Doubles
 Mrs. Perow and Miss Marble defeated Miss M. Campbell and Miss H. Taylor, 2-6, 5-4, 1-1.
 Mrs. Gross and Miss C. Miller defeated Mrs. Edwards and Miss M. Miller, 8-10, 6-2, 7-5.
Men's Doubles
 H. Matthews defeated T. C. Campbell, 6-3, 8-6, 6-3.
MEN'S CONSOLATIONS
 R. Matthews defeated H. S. Platt, 7-6, 8-3.
Semi-Finals
 W. Thomson defeated H. T. Matson, 6-0, 6-1.
 H. Matthews defeated C. Sluggs, 6-0, 6-1.

MIXED DOUBLES
Mrs. Perow and Coughlin defeated
Miss M. Miller and D. Campbell, 3-6,
6-1, 6-1.
Mr. and Mrs. Edwards defeated Mrs.
Cope and Rayment, 4-6, 6-4, 7-5.
Miss C. Miller and Hoogs defeated
Miss Tough and Rayment, 6-0, 6-1.

SEMI-FINAL
Mixed Doubles
Mrs. Perow and Coughlin defeated
Miss Taitlow and Gough, 6-0, 6-1.
Miss C. Miller and R. Hoogs de-
feated Mrs. Perow and Coughlin, 6-0,
6-1.

WOMEN'S CONSOLATIONS
Mrs. Joan List defeated Miss Kitch-
er, 6-3, 6-1.
Miss E. Tough defeated Miss Fern-
ley, 6-0, 8-7.

Semi-finals
Miss M. Postlethwaite defeated Miss
Joan List, 6-4, 6-3.

VETERANS' SINGLES
Semi-finals
W. L. Warren defeated W. H. Kirk-
bridge, 6-3, retired.
H. G. Garrett defeated S. Ryall, 2-6,
6-4, 6-0.

JUMBO DAVIES MATCHED WITH H. HOLLIDAY

Will Meet in Ten-round Event at Variety Theatre Next Saturday

Joe Bayley Will Stage First Boxing Card Presented Here in Months

Victoria's first boxing card in many months will be staged a week to-night, when Joe Bayley will promote a show at the Variety Theatre with Jumbo Davies of Victoria and Harvey Holliday, Vancouver scrapper, appearing in the ten-round main event.

Bayley stated this morning that he had made all arrangements for the show and had arranged four preliminary bouts, featuring Victoria boys against Vancouver fighters.

This will be the first meeting between Jumbo and Holliday and with the bout arranged at 125 pounds the two boys are expected to put on a whirlwind battle. Holliday has met with success in the last couple of years and on both occasions the Victoria boy was just able to gain a close decision. Thus it appears that Jumbo will be in for a tough time when he steps into the ring against the Mainlander.

Following his bout with Jumbo Holliday will go to California for a campaign.

SOFTBALL

Games scheduled next week in the Victoria and District Softball League follow:

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP
Monday

Hustlers vs. Saanich A. Central Park
upper diamond. Umpires, E. Stock and
L. Saxton.

Wednesday

Saanich A vs. Hustlers, Central Park
upper diamond. Umpires, B. Whyte and
L. Saxton.

POODLE DOG KNOCKOUT
Monday
Plimley and Ritchie vs. Y.M.I. A.
Central Park lower diamond. Umpire,
Steve Redgrave.
Oak Bay vs. Navy A, Oak Bay Park.
Umpire, B. Whyte.

Tuesday
View Royal vs. Y.M.I. B. Central Park
upper diamond. Umpire, E. Stock.
Western Steel vs. J.B.A.A., Central
Park lower diamond. Umpire L. Saxton.

Wednesday
(Eden Can)

New Method Laundry vs. McDowell and Mann, Central Park lower diamond. Umpire, Steve Redgrave.

A Vancouver Island softball series, featuring the winners of the Lady-smith, Nanaimo and Victoria districts may be held this season if satisfactory

arrangements can be made, it was decided yesterday evening at the annual meeting of the Lower Island Softball Association at the Y.M.C.A.

Steve Redgrave, well-known local lacrosse player and softball umpire, was named president. Frank Shandley was elected vice-president, while E. Stansbury was named secretary-treasurer. E. Stock was appointed as the Victoria and District League delegate, and Laurie Wooster as the representative of the Westholme League.

Lawn Bowling

During the past week, at the Burnside greens, the results in the third round of the Renfrew Cup singles were as follows:

Holmes 21, Stewart 17.
Hancock 21, Gibson 7.
Tupman 21, Eastham 17.
Deveson 21, Crawford 18.
Harman, Eastham, Tupman and Mercer, skip, retained their hold on the "B194" buttons by defeating Finlay, Proudfoot, Davidson and Stewart, skip, by 18 to 17.

Results in the women's doubles re-

ruited as follows:
 Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Stewart 16,
 Mrs. Deveson and Mrs. Pass 15.
 Mrs. Eastham and Mrs. Mercer 27,
 Mrs. Tupman and Mrs. Hawkins 13.
 In the women's singles, Mrs. Hallam defeated Mrs. Clarke by 21 to 18.
 To-morrow the Burnside greens will be closed all day to give the green keeper a chance to get them in good shape for the tournament which commences on Monday, when some fifty women will be playing in the doubles of the capital city tournament.

McDUFFER
OF THE MISSAPUTTA GOLF CLUB
BY BARRIE PAYNE

McDUFFEE

OF THE MISSAPUTTA GOLF CLUB
BY HARRIE PAYNE

"I borrowed some clothes from Krabby and here's what I got. 'If he calls this thing a golf stocking . . . Oh, I see now. He calls 'em golf stockings because they've got eighteen holes."

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Popularity of Night Sports Growing In Leaps and Bounds

Great Future Is Being Forecast For Latest Plan

Success of Night Baseball Is Due to Fact That So Many More People Can Go to Games in the Evening; Night Tennis Being Developed; Sports Promoters Can Draw Far Larger Gates; Tilden by His Recent Victories Upsets Superstition That Beaten Champions Never "Come Back."

By ROBERT EDGREN

Night sport is a United States invention, and it certainly is growing in popularity.

Now some of the southern baseball leagues are running night games in the regular season schedules, and the same idea has just been taken up on the Pacific Coast, night games drawing unusually big crowds. The success of night baseball isn't all due to the novelty of it. Many baseball fans who can't go to the afternoon games because they work all day find night baseball a good entertainment. The only kickers are the proprietors of moving picture houses, who are already feeling the strain of their patronage.

AUSTRALIAN SETS RECORD

Hillhouse of Empire Games Team Breaks Canadian Three-mile Mark

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 2.—Running at a guest athlete in the weekly twilight meet of the Hamilton Olympic Club at the Civic Stadium yesterday evening, Alan Hillhouse, star middle distance man of the Australian team here for the British Empire games, won the three-mile race in a stirring battle with Savidan, of New Zealand, and bettered the Canadian record for the event.

The race was a handicap affair, with the Australian and New Zealand runners starting from scratch, with Walter Hornby, Canadian one-mile champion, and Wilking, also of the Hamilton Olympic Club.

The two visitors lapped the handicap men twice, and as Hillhouse came up the stretch, overtaking Savidan, with whom he had changed the lead shortly before, he set sail with a great sprint. Both as a matter of fact finished the last quarter of the event like 440 men and Hillhouse hit the tape as the time watches clicked off 4 minutes 25.5 seconds, bettering the record set by H. Kogemainen of the United States in Hamilton.

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Local Bike Riders Reach Finals For Canadian Titles

Low Rush, Dave McCreedy, Glen Robbins and Godfrey Parrott Will Compete Against Vancouver Stars for Quarter, Half-mile and Five-mile Championships; Jim Davies Disqualified in Half-mile Event for Cutting In; Rush Rides Well to Beat Harold Davies in Quarter-mile Sprint.

Victoria bicycle riders held their own against mainland competition yesterday in the elimination heats for the Canadian championships carded to-day and as a result four local and a like number of Vancouver stars will seek the three Dominion titles, at stake at the Royal Athletic Park. Some splendid riding was witnessed in the preliminary heats and those who won their way into the finals did so only after battling the stiffest opposition.

In the three finals to-day Low Rush, Godfrey Parrott, Dave McCreedy and Glen Robbins will ride against Harold Davies, Jim Davies, Leo Marchiori and Frank Elliott of Vancouver.

The first day events of the two-day meet being staged under the auspices of the Victoria Cycling Club were run off in fine style, and only one accident marred the events, Low Rush striking another rider's wheel and spilling during one of the qualifying heats of the half-mile championship. He was uninjured.

RUSH WINS
In a thrilling sprint Low Rush, one of the greatest sprinters ever developed in this city, knocked out Harold Davies, Vancouver, in one of the semi-finals of the quarter-mile championship. Davies finished about three feet behind Rush, while the latter beat Robbins by a couple of feet. In the other heat of the semi-final, Leo Marchiori, veteran rider, qualified first, with Jim Davies finishing second. George Farmer of Victoria was third.

In the first semi-final of the Canadian half mile championship, Harold Davies, Canadian board track champion, finished first with Dave McCreedy second. Jim Davies finished first in this heat with Harold Davies second, but the former was disqualified for cutting in on Glen Robbins, and his brother was awarded first place and McCreedy second. In the other semi-final, Marchiori finished first, with Godfrey Parrott second. In the first semi-final Low Rush on the last lap had the misfortune to spill, and although he was thrown into the grandstand suffered no injuries.

FIVE STRATEGY
In the five-mile Dominion championship the riders showed a tendency to take things easy until the last couple of laps, when they would put on a great sprint to the finish. In the first heat of this event the two Davies boys finished first and second with Harold taking the leading honors. The two brothers pulled off a bit of trick strategy in this heat. Jim Davies paced the field for about fifteen of the twenty laps with the Victoria riders trailing close behind. On the seventeenth lap Harold Davies went out in a sprint and brother Jim let him go. The locals also staying behind in company with Jim. The result was that Harold finished 100 yards in the lead, while Jim beat out the remainder with a great sprint at the finish.

Low Rush was the winner in the second heat with Marchiori second. In the third heat Glen Robbins moved out knocked out twice by Jeffries. After winning from Battling Nelson on a foul Joe Genu was knocked out twice by the Durable Dane. I might name a score of others, but why waste space? The return of a beaten champion to the top is rare enough to guarantee that the champion who does it is a remarkable champion. Tilden is one in a thousand.

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ROYALS ARE CONFIDENT OF WINNING

British Columbia Soccer Champs Hope to Win Dominion Title To-night

Coulter and Rimmer Will Be Back in Line-up For Third Game With Montreal

Winnipeg, Aug. 2.—Two crack teams from far sides of Canada do battle royal to-day—one to retain, one to regain the Dominion championship. Canadian Nationals of Montreal, holders of the title, and Royals of New Westminster, B.C., are scheduled to meet to-night at the third and decisive match for the Connaught Cup. Each eleven has won a match in the final series.

More than 6,000 soccer enthusiasts are expected to crowd into Carruthers' Field this afternoon. The easterners are called by the mob to win because of their ruthless rally to a 5 to 0 victory Thursday night. Exchanges had been fairly even in the first match, when Royals took a 1 to 0 decision, but the champions showed predominating excellence in their comeback.

ROYALS CONFIDENT
The Coast squad, however, foresees no glimpse of defeat. V. M. Sornwell, Royals' secretary, to-day said: "Surely we'll win by a margin, too. There will be no mistake." To back his words, he pointed to the return of two members of the team, Jack Coulter and Les Rimmer, kept on the bench Thursday by leg injuries. Possibly, too, fullback Woods, whose knees are still in limbo after first-game injuries.

HORSE RACING

Arlington Park, Aug. 2.—Results of horse racing yesterday follow:
First race, five and one-half furlongs—1. Plucky Lady, \$27.00, \$10.00, \$7.40; 2. Maid of Honor, \$23.20, \$10.40, \$7.40; 3. Fred, \$4.20, Time 1:09 1/2.
Second race, two miles—1. Personality, \$7.40, \$4.40, \$3.50; 2. Royal Play, \$6.20, \$4.00; 3. Crumpler, \$4.40, Time 1:47.
Third race, five and one-half furlongs—1. Sun Dot, \$6.20, \$4.40, \$3.20; 2. Aunt Deb, \$9.20, \$6.40; 3. Casanova, \$4.20, Time 1:06.
Fourth race, seven furlongs—1. Whip, \$18.20, \$7.60, \$5.80; 2. Layser, \$6.40, \$4.20; 3. Line Rider, \$6.40, Time 1:25.
Fifth race, one mile—1. Miss Bess, \$4.40, \$3.60, \$3.00; 2. Who Win, \$9.40, \$6.40; 3. Stop Gap, \$6.40, Time 1:36 1/2.
Sixth race, one mile—1. Demon, \$10.20, \$6.40, \$4.40; 2. Port Dearborn, \$3.20, \$2.40; 3. Lash Jane, \$4.20, Time 1:37 1/2.
Seventh race, one mile—1. Shadow, \$22.00, \$8.40, \$6.00; 2. Brown Bird, \$5.80, \$3.80; 3. Silver Scepter, \$3.80, Time 1:38 1/2.
Eighth race, mile and one-eighth—1. Crumpler, \$7.20, \$4.40; 2. Ruane, \$5.20, \$3.40; 3. Fairy Maiden, \$2.20, Time 1:54 1/2.

Night Baseball Starts Tuesday At Oakland Park

Oakland, Cal., Aug. 2.—Night baseball will start in Oakland next Tuesday, and A. A. Robert Miller, president of the Oaks, announces to all and sundry that the climate in the East Bay city is ideal for nocturnal home runs and umpire bailing. He should know. All this week Miller has sat, alone, for hours at a time in the big park testing the weather.

New York Looms As Real Threat To Philadelphia

With Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig Hitting Like Fiends Yankees Riding Hard on Tails of World Champions; A's Still Hold Nine-game Lead Over Yanks; Ruth Hit Pair of Home Runs Yesterday; National League Race Remains Unchanged, Except That Pittsburgh Drops Back to Second Division.

With Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig going like a general conflagration, New York Yankees are looking more and more like the real threat to the supremacy of the Philadelphia Athletics in the American League.

Philadelphia still have a commanding lead of eight games ahead of Washington and nine ahead of the Yankees despite the loss of a half game to the New Yorkers through their idleness yesterday, but twenty-two games remain for each of them, and a lot can happen.

The Babe clouted two home runs yesterday to win a game from the Boston Red Sox, providing three of the Yankees' runs in a 4 to 1 victory. Meanwhile, Cleveland, in fourth place, and Detroit, in fifth, each won and held their places. The Indians got the jump on the St. Louis Browns by knocking Holland, Stiles, for two runs in the first inning and held their margin to win, 6 to 3. Detroit hammered Dutch Henry around to inflict on him his fifteenth defeat of the year as Earl Whitehill held Chicago in check. The score was 12 to 4.

PIRATES DROP BACK
The National League race went along without a change except that the Pittsburgh Pirates were sent back to the second division, the Pirates going down before Chicago Cubs, 10 to 7. St. Louis Cardinals held fourth place by trouncing the Cincinnati Reds, 10 to 1. Brooklyn held its two-game margin over the Cubs by resuming the old pastime of slugging the Phillies from pillar to post, ending the afternoon with fifteen hits and a 9 to 4 victory. New York Giants and Boston Braves did the heaviest hitting of the day, and due to Freddy Lindstrom, the Giants made their blows count for a 10 to 4 triumph.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Boston, Aug. 2.—Babe Ruth clouted his thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth home runs of the year yesterday to back up Charley Ruffing's fine pitching and give the New York Yankees a 4-1 victory over the Red Sox. Ruffing held Boston to two hits.

New York . . . 4 12 1
Boston . . . 1 2 1
Batteries—Ruffing and Dickey; Lisenbee, Gaston and Berry.
Detroit, Aug. 2.—The Tigers took an easy victory over Chicago in the first of a four-game series yesterday, 14-4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Cincinnati, Aug. 2.—The Cardinals hit viciously yesterday and buried the Reds under a 10-1 score. "Wild Bill" Hallahan granted only four hits.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—The Cubs bunched hits to better advantage and defeated Pittsburgh, 10-7, yesterday.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 2.—Led by Fred Lindstrom who made four hits, including two home runs, the Giants pounded out a 10-4 victory over the Boston Braves yesterday. New York won all three games of the series.

STEELE STARS IN ELKS' WIN OVER JOKERS

Crashes Out Two Home Runs Besides Pitching One of His Best Games This Year

Elks Turn in Fine Exhibition; Antlered Tribe Collect Six Extra Base Hits

With Wade Steele hitting two home runs besides pitching a splendid game, Elks chalked up a 6-1 victory over the Jokers in a final game of the Senior Amateur League ball schedule at the Royal Athletic Park yesterday evening. The Elks turned in one of their best performances this season and shutout the Jokers until the last inning.

Steele was in real form and although the Jokers got to him for eight hits he kept them well scattered, while his teammates backed him up well in the pinches. Stickney who went the distance for the Jokers was touched up for six extra base hits, including two home runs, two three base clouts and a couple of doubles.

OPEN SCORING
The Elks opened the scoring in the third inning by shoving home three runs, while they added two more in the fourth. Steele's second home run in the seventh gave the antlered tribe their final counter.

BOX SCORE
Elks . . . AB R H PO A E
Dunn, rf . . . 3 0 0 0 0
Webster, lb . . . 4 0 0 12 0 0
N. Forbes, 3b . . . 4 0 1 2 0 0
Morgan, c . . . 3 0 0 2 0 0
Cummins, 2b . . . 4 1 1 3 1 1
McKenzie, ss . . . 3 0 0 2 0 1
Holloman, p . . . 2 2 2 0 0 0
Steele, p . . . 1 2 2 0 1 1
Barr, cf . . . 2 1 0 0 0
Ballawar, cf . . . 1 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 22 3 12 14 3
Jokers . . . AB R H PO A E
Smith, rf . . . 3 0 1 0 0
D'Arcy, ss . . . 2 0 0 2 0 0
Down, lf . . . 4 0 0 2 0 1
Holloman, p . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0
Stickney, p . . . 4 0 1 1 0 0
Belcher, 1b . . . 3 1 1 14 0 0
Gandy, 3b . . . 2 0 0 2 0 0
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SUMMARY:
Two-base hits: Forbes, Cummins, Barry, Gandy; three-base hits: Robinson (2); home runs: Steele (2); sacrifices hits: Dunn, McKenzie, Smith; stolen bases: Barry, Down; struck out by: Stickney (2), Steele (2); base on balls: Stickney (1), Steele (1); hit by pitched ball: Cummins by Stickney; passed balls: Donaldson; left on base: Elks (4), Jokers (3); time of game: 1 hr. 27 mins; umpires: Simpson and Myers.

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At Seattle: . . . R. H. E.
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Seattle . . . 4 6 0
Batteries: Cole and Hoffman;
House, Kuns and Boreani.
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Los Angeles . . . 5 6 2
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Making Your Garden

Planting the Rockery; How to Prepare for the Plants and Maintain Them After They Have Become Established.

By JOHN HUTCHISON, F.R.H.S.

THE MATTER of the planting of the rock garden is a very important one. It is worth while to take considerable trouble to see that the operation is properly done.

If the plants are received from the nursery in pots, and in many cases they will be, all that is necessary is to

plunge the pots, up to the rim, in water to make sure that the ball of earth will turn out without breaking. Then simply plant the ball of earth which surrounds the plant in the position desired.

In dealing with particularly choice plants it is well to make a hole six or

eight inches deep, and about the same width. In the bottom of this place a handful of broken brick or some small rough stones. Fill up the rest with a compost of loam, leaf mold and stone chips. This method of planting supplies some extra drainage and the fresh soil about the roots will give the newly-planted subjects a good start.

FIRM PLANTING

When planting in a crevice, between rocks, care must be taken to fill the space with soil. Unless this work is done with some care there is a chance of some part of the crevice not being properly filled. The soil should be well pressed down, as it is put in, by the use of a blunt wooden rammer. Mix stone chips with the soil and, if necessary, use small stones as wedges to keep the plants in place. It must be remembered that unless a plant is perfectly firm in a crevice, it will not grow in a satisfactory manner.

Planting in a horizontal fissure is a somewhat more difficult operation than in a vertical one. One proceeds something like this (but be it remembered that a little practice will do more than many pages of explanation): The back of the hole being well filled with soil, a layer of soil is placed along the whole depth of the fissure, and the ball of soil and the roots of the plant are put into this. Care must now be taken to fill in all round the roots with further compost, made very firm. Pieces of stone are placed around the neck or collar of the plant to prevent the rain or the waterings from washing away the soil.

PLANT IN SEPTEMBER

The best month for planting a rock garden is September. If planted then, the plants will have ample time to become well established before winter sets in. Planting may be done, however, all through the winter in this climate, and, of course, may be continued in the spring also.

Most Alpine plants are now grown in pots, and these may be planted at any time of the year, because, if the work is carefully done, there will be practically no root disturbance; but even with pot-grown plants, September is the best month for planting.

ARRANGING THE PLANTS

A rock garden looks best when the same kinds of plants are grouped together as far as possible. As an instance, if one has a dozen or more silver-encrusted saxifrage, plant them on a rocky bank at about eight inches apart so that in the course of two or three years they will have spread into a silvery carpet of foliage. If they are grouped in this way the effect will be much more telling than if they were scattered here and there, and they will add an air of distinction to the rock garden.

The care of the rock garden, when once properly planted, may be said to consist of weeding. Now weeding is never a pleasant task, but it can be made much less difficult if it is done early, while the weeds are small. In building the rockery be sure to keep a

good lookout for the roots of perennial weeds, and particularly the roots of couch grass. If this pest once gets a hold in the rock garden it is very difficult to get rid of.

THOROUGH WATERING

During our dry summer the matter of watering must not be overlooked. The evening is the best time to do this, and, as with all other forms of gardening, one thorough watering is worth a dozen sprinklings.

Plants that are naturally vigorous growth must be controlled in the rock garden by cutting them back after they have flowered. Such subjects as Arabis, Aubrietia, Alyssum and many others will soon choke out their choicer and less vigorous neighbors if they are not treated in this way. Besides, this cutting back tends to keep the plants compact, whereas if they were left alone, they would soon become straggling and untidy.

A small hand fork is a most useful tool in the rock garden, as a constant stirring of the soil tends to keep it sweet and adds to the healthfulness of the plants.

CHOICE OF PLANTS

The choice of plants for the rock garden must, in a great measure, be left to each individual planter. Some will like large splashes of color, in which case it will be necessary to plant from six to twenty-four plants of one variety in a patch. Others will want to make a collection of rare plants and will be content with one specimen of each variety.

In every rock garden there will have to be examples of some of the better-known families. These must be Aubrietia, Arabis and Alyssum for early spring bloom. There must be Campanulas and Dianthus to follow. There must be Saxifrage, Sedum and Sempervivum for their foliage and color effect, and there must be the Thymes, the dwarf Oxyphillas, the Arenarias and so on for trailing over the rocks.

DWARF EVERGREENS

Further, if the garden is to be of interest in the winter months, there must be at least a few dwarf evergreens, and there must be some of the better plants, such as the Cotoneasters and the dwarf Berberis. Some of the winter-flowering heaths should also be included in the selection of plants for even the smallest rock-garden.

The smaller bulbs should also be used for the spring effect. Snowdrops, Crocuses, Scillas and the very dwarf Daffodils may be used to great advantage.

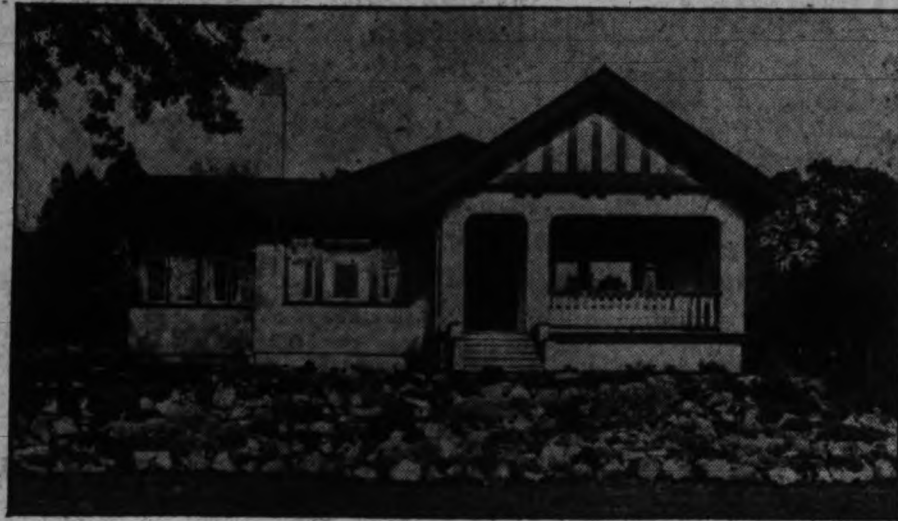
CHOOSING THE PLANTS

A look through any good rock garden catalogue will give anyone interested an idea of hundreds of plants suitable for rock garden decoration. And just here it may be said that one need not choose the rare and more expensive plants, because just as good effect, and very often better, may be obtained by using the commoner and therefore less expensive subjects.

When, however, one chooses the rare and perhaps more difficult plants they should be established in a moraine. In a moraine, such as was described last Saturday, this class of plants can be grown with very little trouble.

Much more could be written on this subject if space permitted, but anyone who is interested in the subject of rock gardening may have the use of many valuable works on the subject by applying at any public library.

Bungalow on Sloping Ground Facing the Olympic Range



THE BUNGALOW here illustrated is built on sloping ground facing south with a view of the Olympic Range. To keep down the appearance of height the front garden portion of the house has been terraced and an artistic rock garden formed. The exterior is stucco with half-timber work relief in the gables and a cottage roof which is covered with dark red shingles.

The ground floor contains verandah, porch, hall, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms and a bathroom. The living-room has a tiled open fireplace and French doors between hall and living-room and between the living-room and the sunroom. The sunroom is glazed with air-way windows which allow for throwing the whole space facing west and south open to the sunshine. The north is protected by a solid wall. Sliding French doors connect the dining-room and the living-room. The kitchen is provided with built-in effects and a breakfast nook with an arched entrance. Two bedrooms are provided with a small inner hall connecting with the bathroom. Half of the basement is excavated and cemented and a piped furnace is installed.

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Importance of Attractive Kitchen Is Now Universally Recognized

DURING THE past two decades, with the almost extinction of the species known as "domestic" the importance of an attractive kitchen has become universally recognized. The kitchen is a much-used room. The daily meals require time for preparation and time for cleaning up. Often there is pressing to be done, or perhaps the kitchen is the scene of a late night supper, after raiding the refrigerator. Fortunately it is a simple matter to illuminate the kitchen so that it is a cheerful place, and so that there is enough light to reveal the chicken's last pin feather, grit and dirt in lettuce, celery and other vegetables, and also to act as an insurance against burns and other accidents.

A dense white glass globe fixture, close to the ceiling is now finding almost universal use in the kitchen. This is because it fills the lighting requirements in an effective manner. The size of a lamp used in a fixture of this sort depends upon the size of the room. In a small room at seventy-

five-watt lamp will suffice, but for larger rooms 100 and 150-watt sizes are recommended.

A second virtue of a fixture of this sort is that it can be easily cleaned, and the effect of smoke, steam and grime must be considered in the choice of kitchen lighting equipment.

Usually the only fixture needed in the kitchen is this standard type of kitchen unit, which supplies enough light and eliminates all objectionable shadows. Sometimes, however, it is desirable to have a bracket over the sink or stove. Very often a twenty-five-watt lamp will be found adequate for this fixture, but sometimes it is preferable to use a forty or fifty-watt lamp.

Frequently in planning the wiring of a house, no provision is made for the kitchen closet. This is something which should be taken care of.

The breakfast nook may be simply and economically equipped. A drop light with a cellulose Japanese paper, or glass shade, and a fifty-watt lamp serves all sufficiently.

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In Our Churches

CANNIBALS TO BE DESCRIBED BY MISSIONARY

Miss Gladys Yarbury to Tell Many Meetings of African Savages

Miss Gladys F. Yarbury, Deputation Secretary of the World Evangelization Society, who served with Miss Muriel Harmon of Victoria among cannibals with the Heart of Africa Mission, will address meetings in Victoria from August 4 to August 14. She will give a varied story of work among the savages.

The following meetings have been arranged: Monday, August 4, The Bible Class Fellowship meeting at Mrs. Mara Corral Court, Simco Street; Wednesday, August 6, Belmont United Church at 8 o'clock; Thursday, August 7, Hillside Brethren (Ladies); Friday, August 8, Missionary Alliance Tabernacle, Yates Street, 8 p.m.; Saturday, August 9, Reformed Episcopal Church, 11 o'clock; Sunday, August 10, 10 o'clock at Reformed Episcopal Sunday school, at 11 o'clock Missionary Alliance Tabernacle and at 7 p.m. at Reformed Episcopal Church; Monday, August 11, Grand Rally at Reformed Episcopal Memorial Hall; Wednesday, August 13, Y.W.C.A. at 3 o'clock and Thursday, August 14, at the Victoria West Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock.

Rev. A. de B. Owen has charge of Miss Yarbury's schedule and will be glad to make arrangements for other meetings.

Will Describe Senses of Soul

Prof. R. S. Baker will take the services to-morrow at Belmont Avenue United Church, speaking in the morning on "The Holy Spirit in the Life of Jesus." In the evening he will give a description of man's spiritual body, his subject being "The Senses of the Soul."

The Chatauqua Survey for Washington has invited Mr. Baker to lecture at the Summer School of the churches of Clark County.

Morning Service Only This Month At Oak Bay Church

Oak Bay United Church will have a morning service only during August. The preacher will be Rev. Bruce Gray, of First United, and on August 10 Rev. W. J. Sippell, D.D., will preach.

Compares Faith With Knowledge

Dr. A. F. Barton will speak to-morrow evening at the Progressive Thought Temple on "From Faith to Knowledge," and he will compare the results of blind faith and actual knowledge.

A health lecture will be given on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock when Dr. Barton will speak on "Headaches and What They Signify."

Life of Jesus Provides Topic

The midsummer communion service at Fairfield United Church will be conducted to-morrow by Rev. Hugh Nixon at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Goodwin will sing "There is a Green Hill Far Away" and the choir will render an anthem.

In the evening the pastor will take for his subject "The Radiant Life of Jesus." Miss Grace Platt will be soloist and there will be an anthem by the choir.

TABERNACLE TO HOLD COMMUNION

The Tabernacle of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, Yates Street, will hold a communion service to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, when Rev. Daniel Walker will preach on "The Blessings That Flow from the Death and Resurrection of Jesus Christ."

At the evening service at 7:30 o'clock the pastor will speak on "The Man Who Was Blessed and Healed Outside the Door of the Church."

The class meeting will be at 10 o'clock and the Sunday School and Bible class at 2:30 o'clock.

TRUMPET SEANCE

Services of special interest will be held to-morrow afternoon and evening at the Universal Spiritual Church, Harmony Hall, 724 Fort Street, when speaker from the Edgewood Spiritual Camp is expected. A trumpet seance has been arranged.

CHINA-INDIAN MISSION

The monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 at Y.W.C.A. It is expected that an accepted candidate will address the meeting.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE

W. H. Blackaller will on Sunday morning take the service at the Church of the Nazarene, 1215 Balmoral Road when his subject will be "The Authority of Jesus."

BRITISH-ISRAEL

At the British-Israel Association on Tuesday evening W. H. Blackaller will speak on "Is the Translation of the Church Before the Coming of the Lord Taught in the Scriptures?" The meeting will be held at the Gordon Block, 729 Yates Street.

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DIVINE MAGNET AT ST. ANDREW'S

Rev. J. H. Woodside Will Occupy Pulpit For Three Weeks

Morning Address Will Review Result of Clash of Religions

At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church to-morrow the preacher will be Rev. John H. Woodside, B.A., L.L.D., of Calgary, Alberta, who will conduct services for three Sundays during the vacation of Rev. H. P. S. Lutzell, B.A., in the morning Dr. Woodside will take as his subject "Two Religions Meet—And Result," and in the evening will preach on "The Divine Magnet."

The music for the morning service will be Myra B. Foster's anthem, "O For a Closer Walk With God," the solo by Mrs. G. H. Downard, and "Forever With the Lord," a duet by Gounod, to be sung by Miss Isabelle Crawford and Arnold W. Trevel.

At the evening service Mrs. William Grant will sing "God That Madest Earth and Heaven," composed by Sanderson. The anthem will be "The Sun Is Sinking Fast" (Andrew's), the solo by Miss Crawford.

There will be an organ recital by G. Jennings Burnett before the evening service, commencing at 7:10 o'clock. The following numbers will be included: "Adagio," First Sonata by Mendelssohn; "Lieder Ohne Worte," by Mendelssohn; "Pilgrims Chorus," by Wagner; and "Largo," one of Mr. Burnett's own compositions.

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Two Vancouver Officers Lead Citadel Meets

Lieut.-Col. Goodwin and Adjutant Saunders, of Vancouver, will lead a public meeting at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, to-night at 8 o'clock. Members of the staff of Grace Hospital, who came from the mainland to assist in the tag day, will be present; and take part.

The colonel will also lead all the meetings to-morrow, commencing at 11, 1:15 and 7:15 o'clock. She was the public officer for British Columbia several years ago, and is now retired from active service.

Brigadier John Merrett, father of Adjutant Fred Merrett, the Victoria corps officer, will be at the Citadel on Thursday, August 7, for a four day campaign, opening with a salvation meeting. On Friday night he will lecture on "Building and Growing." This is on the subject of holiness and of special interest to Christians.

On Saturday night and all day on Sunday the brigadier will speak at the meetings, which will commence at the usual hours.

Interesting Subject Sunday Morning At Victoria West Church

The Rev. J. S. Patterson, minister of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, will continue next Sunday morning his series of studies of great missionaries. He will preach at 11 o'clock on "David Livingstone, the Explorer."

Last Sunday the character study was William Carey of India, the translator, who translated Scripture into over 400 languages and dialects.

At 7:30 o'clock the Rev. E. A. Wright of Grande Prairie, Peace River district, who has motored 1,700 miles to Victoria, will preach. Mr. Wright is one of the frontier Presbyterian missionaries, and is doing a magnificent work among the settlers of that country.

ENDURING LOVE TO BE PORTRAYED BY MRS. GORDON GRANT

At Unity Centre to-morrow morning, Mrs. Gordon Grant will speak on "The Enduring Nature of Love," as shown in the story of Ruth and Naomi. The children will sing "Love Lifted Me," and Miss Grace Harding will sing a solo.

At 7:30 o'clock the subject of the address will be "God's Abundance and How to Attain It." This will be based on the story of the widow of the prophet, who had nothing. Miss Eyle will be the pianist.

VICTORIA WEST PREACHER TO BE REV. J. D. HOBDEN

The pulpit of Victoria West United Church will be occupied to-morrow by Rev. J. D. Hobden of Vancouver.

Rev. O. M. Sanford, president of the British Columbia conference of the United Church of Canada, has left Victoria on a tour of the northern section of the province.

TO SHOW VALUE OF MYSTICISM

Dean Quainton Will Discuss Modern Appreciation of Church Mysteries

The Dean of Columbia, Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, will be the preacher at the 11 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock services in Christ Church Cathedral to-morrow. The subject of the evening sermon will be, "The Value of Mysticism Today."

Holy communion services will be held to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock and 11 o'clock. The service will take place in the Memorial Hall at 11 o'clock.

After the evening service, an organ recital will be given by the Cathedral organist, Stanley P. Bulter, A.R.C.O., commencing at 8:45 o'clock. The compositions to be played are Toccata Prelude on the Psalm Song, "Pange Misa," by Edward Kallman, organist at York Ministry; Andante, from the Spring Quartet Debussy; Klavier (Parry); Concerto in G Minor (Handel). A description of each piece will appear in to-morrow's issue of the Cathedral parish leaflet.

Next week's services will include holy communion on Wednesday (the Transfiguration of Our Lord) and Tuesday mornings at 8 o'clock, morning prayer daily at 9:30 and evening prayer at 8:15.

UNIQUE SUBJECT FOR ADDRESS BY CANON CHADWICK

Tragedy of Absalom Theme For Sermon at St. John's Church To-morrow

Continuing his series of short sermons at St. John's Church, Canon Chadwick will preach at the 11 o'clock service on the subject, "The Tragedy of Absalom," depicting the failure of one of the most romantic characters of the Bible.

There will be Holy Communion at 8 o'clock in the morning, and after the 11 o'clock service. Evening will start at 7:30 o'clock, when Rev. P. C. Mayman will be the preacher. The solo by Miss Crawford.

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Centennial to Hear Prof. A. M. Sanford

Rev. Prof. A. M. Sanford, D.D., Union College, Vancouver, will conduct both morning and evening services in Centennial Church next Sunday. Dr. Sanford is well known as a preacher and writer of considerable ability. At the morning service Paul Green will be the soloist. In the evening Charles Oard will sing "Man of Sorrows" by Evilly.

Rev. C. K. Morse Here for Month

Rev. C. K. Morse, superintendent for missions in British Columbia, will conduct services at the First Baptist Church during August, and to-morrow will occupy the pulpit at both services. The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed immediately after the morning services.

Miss Tehmina Lloyd will be the morning soloist and Mrs. A. Coles will sing "Abide With Us" in the evening, and Messrs. Dinamore and Moneychurch will sing a duet.

The Sunday school will meet in the morning at 9:45 o'clock.

On Monday evening the special meeting for the young people of the church will be held in the parlour at 8 o'clock, and at the same time on Wednesday, the mid-week service of the church will be held in the same room.

E. E. RICHARDS TO LEAD CLASS IN BIBLE STUDY

A British-Israel study class has been formed under the leadership of E. E. Richards, one of the local founders of the movement. Meetings will be held weekly on Mondays at 8 o'clock in the Alexandra Club auditorium, Campbell Building.

Mr. Richards says the work of the British-Israel world federation is attaining vast proportions and attracting the attention of the scholarship of the Empire and United States.

The address on Monday next will be on "The Mystery of Israel Revealed," and is taken from Rev. XI and Romans XI.

Clairvoyants To Address Psychic Research Society

The Society for Psychic Research has moved to Temple Hall, North Park Street. To-night at 8 o'clock Dr. McAngus will conduct a trumpet seance. To-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, Dr. E. C. Feyer of California will lecture on "The Law of Compensation," assisted by Madame Josephine and Dr. McAngus. Dr. Feyer is reputed to be a powerful healer.

Madame Josephine is stated to be a fine clairvoyant and on Monday will conduct a service for ladies only and will also lead the evening message circle.

Lutherans to Discuss Call To New Pastor

At St. Paul's Lutheran Church to-morrow service will be held at 10:30 o'clock, when a sermon will be given by Rev. A. S. Borman, of Coquit, D'Alene, Idaho and an address by Rev. H. Mau of Bellingham, Wash.

The service will be followed by a business meeting at which the question of calling a new pastor will be discussed.

VANCOUVER MAN TO PREACH AT METROPOLITAN

Rev. R. B. Y. Scott of Union College Will Give Morning Address To-morrow

The preacher for the morning service at Metropolitan United Church will be Rev. R. B. Y. Scott, D.D., of Union College, Vancouver. Dr. Scott is a comparatively recent addition to the staff of the Theological College and is professor of Old Testament languages and literature. He has the reputation of being an able speaker.

The service for the morning will be at 10:30 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be "The Value of Mysticism Today." The solo by Miss Crawford.

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Anna D. Britton Here for Week At Lighthouse

Anna D. Britton, Divisional officer for the Foursquare work in Canada, will address meetings at the Foursquare Lighthouse all next week. She is pastor of a large church in Vancouver, dean of the Foursquare Church, and an exceptional speaker of wide and varied experience. Many people in Victoria have heard her gospel messages over the radio every Sunday afternoon.

The Foursquare party who will assist at the meetings, includes Lynne Fox, who has rejected many theatrical contrasts although only a youth of seventeen years.

The six day campaign will continue from August 4 to 10 at the Foursquare Lighthouse, Johnson and Douglas Streets.

RADIO-ACTIVITY AT JAMES BAY

At James Bay United Church to-morrow Rev. R. Brown will speak on "Radio-Activity and Jesus." Mr. Norman Baker will be the soloist. Service will be held at Equus United Church to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—HOLY COMMUNION, 8 a.m., Holy Communion, 11 o'clock, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 7:30 o'clock. Evening service, 8 p.m. The Dean, Rev. C. S. Quainton, will be the preacher. The solo by Miss Crawford.

ST. JOHN'S, QUADRA STREET, CORNER of Mason, 8 a.m., Holy Communion, 11 o'clock, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 7:30 o'clock. Evening service, 8 p.m. The Dean, Rev. C. S. Quainton, will be the preacher. The solo by Miss Crawford.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ELGIN ROAD, Oak Bay, 8 a.m., Holy Communion, 11 o'clock, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 7:30 o'clock. Evening service, 8 p.m. The Dean, Rev. C. S. Quainton, will be the preacher. The solo by Miss Crawford.

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White Lawn Handkerchiefs

85c a Dozen

Full-sized Hemstitched Handkerchiefs of fine white lawn. A special buy and a big value in handkerchiefs. Just fifty dozen to be sold at this price.

Per dozen **85c**
—Main Floor, HBC



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Rugs for Travelling Campers

Closely woven wool Rugs suitable for beach, camp, auto or home use. Choose from cheeks in many desirable colorings.

Price **\$2.95**

—Main Floor, HBC

Home-furnishing Sale

Now in Progress



This Five-piece Living-room Suite For \$19.85 Down

These five pieces form a Suite that you will be proud to have in your home and that you will find satisfying to you for many years. The settee and chairs are covered in fine quality mohair, with tops of spring cushions in figured velours. There is a solid walnut Chesterfield table and upholstered bench to match.

Home Furnishing Sale price, complete **\$198.50**
\$19.85 Down, Balance in 12 Monthly Payments

—Fourth Floor, HBC

Exceptional Values in Dining-room Suites

Oak Dining Suites for \$8.95 Down
Eight pieces, all solid oak, in Old English finish. Buffet, table and set of six leather-seat chairs. Home Furnishing Sale price, a suite **\$89.50**
\$8.95 Down—Balance in 12 Monthly Payments

Small Walnut Dining Suites for \$12.50 Down
Of eight pieces and suitable for small dining-room. Neatly designed and well finished. Buffet, table and six chairs. Home Furnishing Sale price **\$125.00**
\$12.50 Down—Balance in 12 Monthly Payments

Walnut Dining Suites for \$12.50 Down
Nine-piece Solid Walnut Dining Suites of very heavy construction and massive design. These are exceptional values. Home Furnishing Sale price **\$225.00**
\$22.50 Down—Balance in 12 Monthly Payments

Solid Walnut Dining Suites for \$17.95 Down
Nine pieces—buffet, china cabinet, table and six chairs—all in solid walnut and of fine design. Home Furnishing Sale price, a suite **\$179.50**
\$17.95 Down—Balance in 12 Monthly Payments

—Fourth Floor, HBC

Beach Imperial Ranges

At Special Prices



During Our August Home Furnishing Sale we are offering our famous Imperial Ranges at special low prices. If you need a new Range, choose an Imperial, because of its all-round merit. It cooks to perfection, uses a minimum amount of fuel and has excellent heating qualities.

The 16-inch oven size with plain warming closet is specially priced at

57.50

Waterfronts \$5.00 Extra. Other models at proportionately low prices; 10% down, balance in 12 monthly payments.

A Set of Aluminumware Free With Every Imperial Range

In addition to special prices we offer to every purchaser of an Imperial Range the following high-grade aluminum pieces:

One-quart Straight Side Saucepan, Two-quart Straight Side Saucepan, Three-quart Straight Side Saucepan, Four-quart Straight Side Saucepan; Two-quart Double Boiler; Four-quart Range Kettle.

—Fourth Floor, HBC

Blankets, Sheets and Comforters

Sale Priced

White Pure Wool Blankets
At \$9.98 a Pair
Size for double beds. Woven from thoroughly secured pure wool yarns and finished with blue borders. Per pair **\$9.98**

Fine Hemstitched Sheets
Size 30x36 inches at \$4.98 a Pair
An exceptionally low price for these High-grade Sheets finished with hemstitched ends. Note the size, 30x36 inches. Per pair, **\$4.98**

Novelty Wool Blankets, \$6.50 Each
In Rainbow-plaid effects in all wanted color combinations. Finished with satin-bound ends. Each at **\$6.50**

English Down Comforters
At \$11.98
Covered in excellent quality floral pattern with panel effects in contrasting colors. Extra well filled with down and ventilated. Each, at **\$11.98**

—Main Floor, HBC

A Monday Morning Special

200 Yards Bleached Sheetting At, per yard **39c**

An excellent 72-inch Sheetting for general use. Made from a heavy cotton that will give splendid wear.

—Main Floor, HBC

AUGUST FUR SALE

Months of preparation have preceded this annual event, which commences Monday. From the choicest of furs purchased at advantageously low prices our furriers have been busy during the slacker season of the year developing Coats of the very latest type and style. These are now available at extraordinarily low prices, and we cordially invite your inspection. A small deposit will hold the Coat of your choice until any time you desire delivery. It will be placed carefully away in our modern cold air storage, for which there will be no charge.

Special Deferred Payments Arranged if Desired

New Muskrat Coats

In Four Specially Priced Groups

Silver Muskrat Coats

115.00

A good, warm Coat, very light to carry. Just the garment for every-day wear.

Second-cut Muskrat Coats

135.00

Ideal for motoring or business wear. Natural self-trimmed. A real value.

Muskrat Coats at

165.00

A group that will interest those who are looking for a neat Coat a little different from the usual.

A Very Special Value at

195.00

Muskrat Coats, including the split-back skins in the darker blends. For evening or every-day wear.

Laska Lamb Coats at \$79.50

This is a Coat of beautiful beaver tone made with long roll shawl collar and nicely lined. Splendid for motoring.

President Broadtail Coats, \$175.00

Trimmed with sable, squirrel and wolf. A very stylish Coat and one that will give long service.

All Fur Scarves and Chokers at Reduced Prices for This Sale

—Second Floor, HBC



New Summer Coats

At Special Prices

Very Smart With Their New Capes and High Waistlines



For those not caring for Capes are the fashionable straight-line models with novelty upstanding collars. In fact, there are several different styles to choose from, including flared effects, shoestring belts and many other new features. They are fashioned from basket weave, kasha cloth or flannel in dainty pastel shades as well as white. Sizes 16 to 38. Three different groupings at

14.95, 16.95 and 19.50

—Second Floor, HBC

English Felt Traveling Hats

In New Fall Colors and Styles

Fine in quality, light in weight, these new English felts are just right for traveling, as well as being ideal for sports wear. They have medium brims and introduce many new and interesting details in workmanship

\$7.50

—Second Floor, HBC

Specials in the China Section

English China Cups and Saucers
In dainty floral and bird designs; also dark mottled bands. Tall shape cups. Special, 3 for **\$1.00**

English Rockingham Teapots
In hand and floral decoration. 4 and 8-cup size. Special, each, at **39c**

China Fruit Bowls
In two-tone lustre with bird and floral decoration. 8-inch size. Regular 35c. Special, each, at **19c**

China Fruit Sets
Of seven pieces—one bowl and six nappies in floral and bird decoration. Regular 85c. Special, per set, at **69c**

—Third Floor, HBC

Clothes Basket Special
Willow Clothes Basket, size 28x18 inches. Special, each **69c**

—Third Floor, HBC

HBC GROCERIA

CARRY-SAVE

On Monday the turnstiles lead to many unadvertised bargains as well as to the following:

1 lb. Nabob Coffee and 1 Nabob Jelly Powder for **49c**

Pork and Beans, Libby's, No. 2 tins, 2 tins for **19c**

Sunlight Soap, 2 cartons **35c**

Libby's Fancy Prunes, extra special, 2-lb. carton **19c**

Heinz Ketchup, large bottle, **23c**

Tea, Braid's Blue Label, per lb. at **45c**

Pure B.C. Honey, 16-oz. jar, **29c**

Peas, Farrow's English, 2 cartons for **19c**

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

Home-furnishing Sale

Now in Progress



The New "Baristan" Sheen Rugs Sale Priced

A limited number of designs we are clearing to make room for the incoming patterns for fall. This gives an unusual opportunity to buy one of the most popular Rugs made at a substantial price reduction.

2 Rugs, size 8.3x11.6, formerly selling at \$189.50, August Sale price **\$159.50**

1 Rug, size 7.9x10.6, formerly selling at \$155.00, August Sale price **\$135.00**

1 Rug, size 11.3x13.6, formerly selling at \$275.00, August Sale price **\$259.50**

1 Throw Rug, size 2.10x5.5, formerly selling at \$32.75, August Sale price **\$27.50**

Bright, Cheerful Rugs From British India

Hand-loom Rugs, exceptionally well made and finished, with a long wool tuft; so nice and comfortable to walk on as well as assuring long service. Made in a wonderful range of true Oriental designs, in bright cheerful colorings that appeal to all with a sense of color values in the home. Price considered, there is no better Rug on the market for effectiveness and service. Size 9.0x12.0 selling in the August Sale for **\$59.50**

Other sizes priced proportionately.
—Third Floor, HBC

A Sale of Factory Rebuilt

Hoovers

Extraordinarily Low Prices
Deferred Payments

These Hoovers are shipped direct from the factory to us. They have all been overhauled and new parts put in where necessary. They are perfect in every way, and will last for years. Every machine guaranteed.

They can be purchased on our deferred payment plan.

Eight Hoovers at \$27.50
Nine Hoovers at \$31.50

—Third Floor, HBC

Grocery Specials for Monday

Horseshoe Brand Sockeye Salmon, small tins. Special at **23c**

2 tins for **45c**

New Season's Australian Sultanas, 2 crown. Special, per lb. 11c
New Season's Australian Currants, re-cleaned. Special, per lb. 14c
3 lbs. for 40c

PRESERVING REQUISITES
Finest Quality B.C. Preserving Sugar—
10-lb. paper sack **65c**
25-lb. paper sack **\$1.20**
100-lb. sack **\$5.50**

Certo, for better jams and jellies. Special, per bottle **31c**

Sealtite Rubber Rings. Special, 2 packets for **15c**

Bonony Tops. Special, per packet, at **32c**

Parawax. Special, per packet, **14c**

TEA SPECIAL
Blue Ribbon Tea, 1-lb. packet, special at **44c**

3 packets for **\$1.30**

Van Camp's Bean Hole Beans, with pork. Special, per tin, **14c**

2 tins for **40c**

COMBINATION SOAP SPECIAL
2 packets Sunlight Soap and 2 tins Old Dutch Cleanser, all for **57c**

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SPECIALS
Watermelons. Special, lb. **5c**
Large Australian Oranges. Special, per dozen **69c**
Sunset Grapefruit. Special at 4 for **25c**

PRESERVING PEACHES
Special, per crate **\$1.60**

Green Wax and Scarlet Runner Beans. Special at 3 lbs. for 25c

FICIN SPECIALS FROM PROVISION COUNTRY

Finest New Zealand Butter, 1-lb. Special at **45c**

Pacific Weiners, 1-lb. tin. Special at **40c**

Shamrock Sausages, 1-lb. tin. Special at **35c**

Swift's Premium Sausages, 1-lb. tin. Special at **40c**

CHEESE SPECIALS.
Old English Cheese. Special, per jar **25c**

Limburger Cheese. Special, per jar **25c**

Peanut Butter, Cottage Brand. Special, per jar **20c**

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

In Our Window Now!

The New De Forest Crosley Radios

1931 Models

This remarkable line of modern radio receivers merits your inspection and consideration at once if you are at all interested in Radio.

JUST IMAGINE—a Combination for \$289.00—with tone control, super-sensitivity and selectivity and a marvelous cabinet.

The Troubadour Combination

\$28.90 Down—\$23.95 Monthly

—Third Floor, HBC

We Can Give You Actual Radio Reception in Our Store

Hear this marvelous machine demonstrated to-morrow.



VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 1930

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Victoria Daily Times Births, Marriages, Deaths

Advertising Phone No. 1090

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The Women's Auxiliary of the Victoria Boys' Band extends thanks to those who assisted in making the card party, held to raise funds for the band, recently, a success.

Fines of \$30 were imposed in Oak Bay Police Court yesterday afternoon on J. S. Old, P. C. Simpson and R. Sparks, who were convicted of driving to the common danger.

Construction of a new board walk along the Beacon Hill waterfront from Cook to Douglas Streets is proceeding rapidly and the walk will soon be ready for public use.

Permit for the alteration of the basement of the Hudson's Bay Company building for the purpose of installing a cafeteria was taken out at the City Hall yesterday. Luney Brothers will do the work, costing about \$2,500.

The technique of Local Anesthesia for Painless Operative Dentistry was the subject of a lecture, illustrated by four reels of motion pictures, given by Dr. S. P. Greaves, before the dentists of Victoria, in the Empress Hotel.

The meeting of the Victoria Local Council of the Amalgamated Civil Servants set for Monday has been postponed until Monday, August 11. A cordial invitation has been received from the Vancouver local for Victoria civil servants to attend their picnic today at Bowen Island.

Receipts from the inside section of the public market for the month of July totaled \$611.39 as compared with \$591.53 for the month of July 1929, according to the report of the market superintendent which will be submitted to the council Monday night. The outside section of the market produced \$84 last month.

At the regular meeting of Victoria Lodge No. 1 Independent Order of Oddfellows to be held Monday an initiation ceremony will take place. All members of the degree team are requested to be there by not later than 8.30 p.m. and report to the degree captain. Sojourning brothers and members of other local lodges are cordially invited.

"Doba" Tait, twelve, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Tait of Roslyn Road, suffered burns to his feet on Thursday at Luncheon. The lad was carrying water to men fighting the bush fire and jumped into a pit of hot ashes to avoid being hit by a falling tree. He was treated yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital and is recovering at Glen Lake, where the family is spending the summer.

The general meeting of the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will be held on Tuesday. It is desired to invite to the attention of all concerned that the watch competition, which it was proposed to draw at this meeting, will be deferred till the general meeting in September, owing to the large number of members away on vacation and the consequent difficulty in recalling the books.

The next T.O.C. meeting of the summer season will be held on Wednesday evening, August 13, at Prospect Lake, where the group will be the guests of Col. H. T. Logan who is spending the summer at "Rockwood". Col. Logan was first honorary registrar of T.O.C. in British Columbia and is now chairman of the advisory council for British Columbia. A committee will assemble at 5.30 o'clock at the City Hall, with iron rations and swimming suits and will motor from there to Prospect Lake. All members who wish to have 1930 T.O.C. Diaries are asked to have their orders in not later than this meeting.

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Gyros to Hear Col. J. H. McMullin; Kiwanians Will Have Open Meeting

Moses B. Cotsworth, F.C.A., director of the International "Fixed Calendar" League, and expert to the League of Nations Committee on Calendar Reform, will address a joint luncheon of the Canadian and Rotary Clubs at the Empress Hotel on Thursday. At the meeting Mr. Cotsworth will outline his proposed scheme to divide the year into thirteen, twenty-eight day months in order to keep all dates fixed.

For many years Mr. Cotsworth lived in this city and did much of the planning of the new calendar here. Since leaving Victoria he has gained recognition from the League of Nations as well as the Royal Society of Canada and many other institutions interested in calendar work.

The inventor of the "fixed calendar" has outlined several direct benefits which would result from the adoption of his project. All months would be equal, having exactly the same recurring twenty-eight week-days of equal monthly calendar value, he notes. Members of the degree team are requested to be there by not later than 8.30 p.m. and report to the degree captain. Sojourning brothers and members of other local lodges are cordially invited.

WOULD PREVENT CONFUSION

It would prevent date confusing worries and the complete four weeks would each be one quarter of a month. Consequently paydays, markets, fairs, meetings and fixed occasions would be easily remembered.

Every month-end would coincide with the week-end and would be most convenient for business, rents and general affairs.

These, with many other features of his "fixed calendar" idea, will be explained by the speaker, during the luncheon here.

COL. McMULLIN TO SPEAK

On Monday the Gyros will hear Col. J. H. McMullin, superintendent of the Provincial Police, at their luncheon. Col. McMullin has recently returned from a trip to Great Britain, where he studied police methods at Scotland Yard. It is expected that he will deal with some phases of his findings over there during his address before the clubmen.

An even meeting, devoted to the discussion of the club's affairs, will be held by the Kiwanians on Tuesday in the Empress Hotel as usual.

SAANICH SELLS FROZEN FRUIT TO MISSOURI

Stored Surplus From Last Year Is All Disposed Of

Strawberry growers of Saanich have sold the remainder of their 1929 processed crop to Missouri jam manufacturers. Members have been informed by officers of the Berry Processors Limited, the co-operative formed to handle the fruit last year with government financial support.

Fifty tons of berries have been disposed of in the deal, which cleans up the whole of the processed crop of last year. The price received was ten and one-half cents per pound for the combined fruit and sugar, but after payment of charges due the government, barrels and cold storage, the growers will receive more than five cents per pound for their fruit.

Saanich and Gordon Head berry growers were first forced to process their fruit in 1928, when Missouri berries swamped the prairie market and destroyed prices.

OBITUARY

There passed peacefully away Friday afternoon at St. Joseph's Hospital, after a lengthy illness, Fannie Louise Fitzsimmons, of 1201 Roslyn Road. The late Mrs. Fitzsimmons was born at Brockville, Ontario, seventy-four years ago. She had been a resident of this city for thirteen years, and leaves a husband, Hugh, of Roslyn Road, a son, Robert C. Fresno, Calif., and Edwin T. Fitzsimmons, Calgary, Alberta. Prayers will be offered by Rev. Father Evans for the late Mrs. Fitzsimmons at the parlors of the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at St. Andrew's Cathedral at 9 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah Jensen were held at Hayward's B.C. Chapel yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. W. P. Carter officiating in the presence of many friends. The hymns sung were "Nearer My God, to Thee," and "Abide With Me." Numerous beautiful floral offerings were received and placed on the casket and hearse. The funeral was held at 2 p.m. at the residence of A. E. Ormond, W. R. Hornsby, M. Barron, H. Currie, H. W. Wilders and Arthur Tolman. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The funeral of Leo Harrison (Alfred Vanderbilt) took place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. W. P. Carter officiating. The remains were laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

BURDEN BACK FROM EUROPE

Hon. F. P. Burden, Minister of Lands in the provincial cabinet, who has been attending the German forestry congress, reached Quebec yesterday on board the liner Duchess of York.

He is expected back at his desk in the Government Buildings here by the end of next week.

Hotel Lobby Gossip

Hotel people at the Dominion today include Mr. Adolph Schmidt, Olympia, wife of Adolph Schmidt, managing director of a chain of Washington hostels, including the New Washington at Seattle, the Leopold at Bellingham and the Cascadia at Wenatchee.

She is accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. A. Lang, and two sons, Robert Alexander Schmidt and Philip Henry Schmidt. They are leaving this afternoon for the south.

J. Jackman, one of Vancouver's active business men, specializing in office fixtures and silent salesmen, is on a business trip from the mainland and is staying at the Dominion.

Mrs. H. Meyer, widow of the late Capt. Luke Meyer, a former well-known master mariner in the B.C. Coast trade, is making one of her periodical visits to the city and is a guest at the Dominion today.

A party of prominent easterners which occupied suites at the Empress Hotel for the last couple of days left this afternoon by the 1.45 o'clock boat for the mainland. They were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McPherson and Mr. and Mrs. C. Finucane.

Delegates to the convention of the northwest section of the Ceramic Society are dispersing this afternoon after a two-day session at the Empress Hotel. This morning the delegates inspected the plant of the Baker Brick and Tile Company on Douglas Street and suburbs of the Saanich Peninsula, the British Columbia Brick Works at the Mill Bay ferry, stopping off at Goldstrut for a basket picnic.

Dean Brock of the University of British Columbia, and Professor A. L. Miller of the University of Washington addressed the convention at the Empress yesterday afternoon. Dean Brock took as his subject "Technology in the Clay Industry," and traced the industry from its earliest history. Professor Miller spoke on "Research Problems of the Clay Industry."

Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr., of New York, who has been on the island for some weeks, returned to the city yesterday from Sproat Lake and registered at the Empress.

VANCOUVER AND DESPATCH VISIT SEATTLE MONDAY

Canadian and British Navies to Be Represented in Fleet Week in Sound City

Both the British and Canadian Navies will be represented in the Seattle Fleet Week, starting Monday. It was announced this morning by Commander L. W. Murray, senior naval officer of the West Coast station.

R.M.S. Despatch and H.M.C.S. Vancouver, flying the naval flags of Great Britain and Canada, will leave Victoria early Monday morning under the command of Admiral V. H. S. Haggard, C.B., C.M.G., and Lieutenant-Commander Hibbard, respectively.

The ships, now at Esquimalt, will make the trip at the invitation of the governor of Washington State and will participate in the various functions planned in the Sound City for the spectacular event.

SPICK AND SPAN

The crafts have recently undergone painting and polishing and will be spick and span for the visit to the United States port.

While drifting arrangements for the week are not known, it is expected that the Canadian and British ships will take part in all functions, including civic luncheons, tennis and golf matches and other special activities arranged for the event.

During the week the Seattle harbor will be the scene of the United States fleet battle cruises and destroyers and will present a splendid spectacle with the giant fighting ships lined up in order.

The visit of the two boats from Victoria will be a friendly gesture between the two countries.

Making Garbage Worth Its Weight In Gold; Inventor Demonstrates Process Here

Visions of dollar bills arising from the household garbage can, of mill wastes turned into piles of silver and of glowing prosperity in the coal industry were conjured up by Marius P. F. Rila, inventor of the Rila process of waste distillation, who conducted a private test yesterday afternoon at the experimental retort set up near the city garbage yards on Garbally Road.

The retort has been set up with a primary object of testing out the distillation of city garbage. A series of tests on both the summer and winter garbage will be made and the results laid before the city engineer's department and the council when a decision will be made as to whether or not the city adopts the system.

KEY INDUSTRY

But Mr. Rila sees garbage distillation as only a sideline to his invention. He sees in it the development of a key industry which will supply light, heat and power in practically unlimited amounts.

Yesterday's test was made with mill refuse which was put into the retort in a metal chamber. Furnace heat turned the wood into carbon gases which when passed through a condenser, part coming off as carbon monoxide gas and the remainder as deposits of oil, creosote and other by-products.

The secret of the process, according to Mr. Rila, is the catalytic action of pulsatone on the gases causing them to be separated into the various by-products.

The refuse is not burned during the process.

One of the navigation's greatest claims to fame is its speed and cleanliness of operation. One charge is consumed in two hours and the retort is ready for the next. Little odor attends the process and the refuse is entirely disinfected and disintegrated.

Although the process is by no means a new idea, so far as results are concerned, the method is different and is faster and more economical than other systems, Mr. Rila claims.

Mr. Rila, who is himself a Seattle man, has made his home in Victoria, where he will make his headquarters in promoting the development of the process, hoping eventually to introduce it throughout Canada.

COUNCIL WILL MEET GROUP ON RELIEF PLANS

Hot Dogs and Plumbing Also Before City Fathers Monday

Plumbing, hot dogs and relief work will be on the agenda of the city council at the regular council meeting Monday night.

Plumbing has taken a more or less unexpected turn following withdrawal of support of the city's proposed new by-law by the local union of journeymen plumbers and steam fitters. The measure was laid over at the last meeting in order that the council members could get an idea of several proposed amendments and it is due to come up for consideration.

Hot dogs may be a burning point. Several people are opposed to the vendors of this reputedly deleterious foodstuff doing business on the city streets at night and seek some plan of eliminating the practice. A recommendation from City Solicitor Pringle suggests that the streets and traffic by-law be so arranged that certain streets will be out of bounds for the hot dog sellers.

Prior to the regular meeting, a conference will be held by the council with a delegation from the Armistice Period committee to devise ways and means for the relief of needy unemployed persons in the city.

Endorsement of a move by the Saanich Council to have points of law decided by the Supreme Court is recommended to the council by the city solicitor. This would be embodied in a resolution and presented to the conference of the Union of B.C. Municipalities.

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind has communicated with the council defending the broom factory for the blind in Vancouver against charges which have been made relative to conditions there.

There are several items of unfinished business to come before the meeting as well as reports of the parks board, fire wardens and other committees. Amendments to the zoning by-law of 1929 are included in a by-law which will go before the council.

POLICE CHIEF OF WINNIPEG BEACH IS PUT IN JAIL

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 2.—The cells to which he many times sent others, today hold Chief George Townsend of the Winnipeg Beach police force a prisoner. He faces a charge of assaulting Patrol-Sergeant Charles Lort, one of the city force and will appear for trial August 8.

It all happened when Sgt. Lort, more hurried to a "Walrus" Street home when a lady phoned that she was being interfered with in attempting to run her automobile into the garage. The sergeant, so rounded up, beaten when he entered the garage, that he is suffering to-day from a slight concussion, cuts and bruises.

The beach police chief says it was a case of mistaken identity, according to city police.

FIRE IN SAANICH

Three acres at the corner of Burnside and Holland Avenue were burned over by a bush fire which broke out at 4.15 o'clock yesterday afternoon and raged for six hours before being brought in check by a gang of men under Road Foreman W. F. Farrow.

The area was still smoldering today and a crew was watching to prevent any further outbreak.

RAINFALL AIDS ALBERTA MOST

Winnipeg, Aug. 2.—Major benefit from seasonal rainfall of the past two weeks seems to have been derived in Alberta, says the weekly crop report issued by the Agricultural Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Winnipeg today. Many districts report improvement in prospects there, notably to good summer fallow and winter crops.

In Saskatchewan very little chance is noted and in central and south central areas conditions still vary from fair to very poor.

In Manitoba, crops retain a splendid appearance, the only drawback being the appearance of rust of varying severity on common wheats and, to less extent, on barley and oats.

The list of products gained from about five and one half feet of wood is as follows: 500 cubic feet of gas, about thirty-seven per cent alcohol, about thirty-seven per cent acetone, six per cent acetone, six per cent turpentine, four per cent fir oil, sixteen per cent creosote, thirteen per cent tar and polyness.

To handle the city garbage, approximately fifty tons a day, two commercial size retorts would be needed, Mr. Rila stated.

WOOD AT \$7 A CORD

Cordwood jumps hundreds of points in value under the new process. One cord would give off about \$37 worth of by-products in addition to about \$400 of gas. Garbage of all sorts, lettuce heads, potato peelings, bacon rinds, watermelons and what have you, go into the retort along with the cans, old shoes and so forth. Out the other end comes the saleable by-products.

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"OLD NEW ENGLAND MOON" Fox Trot
"MY SWEETHEART PARADE" Fox Trot
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Maynard's Shoe Store, two pairs of running shoes; S. S. Kresge Co., four large rubber balls; the Torgery Shop, tie; George Strath, tie; Owl Drug Store, two pounds chocolates; Williams Drug Store, two pounds chocolates; Irish Linen Store, twenty girls' handkerchiefs; Vancouver Drug Store, Kodak; Wells's Furniture Co., china set; Fletcher Bros., three harmonicas; Barber's Toy Shop, five dozen balloons; F. Norris and Sons, boys' leather wallet; J. McMartin, six girls' purses; Belfast Linen Shop, two girls' and three boys' handkerchiefs; W. N. Lefstey, penknife; F. W. Francis, jeweler, china set; MacFarlane Drug Co., two pounds chocolates; Hisecks and Clechrich, drug Store, two pounds chocolates; the South African Flume Shop, twelve hats; Bob Shaw, twenty-four bags of sugar; Cathbert's Shoe Store, four light; Metropolitan Ch. Store, row boat, penknife, flashlight, 1 pair stockings, 1 boy's shirt; F. B. Richardson, one pound chocolates; Little & Taylor & Taylor, Soda Water Company, four cases soda water; Plimley & Ritchie, penknife; Feden Bros., one large water ball; W. A. Jamieson Company, 21¢ lb. of coffee and two lbs. of lemon crystals; Wengler's, jeweler, three brooches, cuff links, chain of beads; E. G. Maynard, jeweler, boy's watch; M. Whitney Company, jeweler, girls' necklace; M. Kilburn, jeweler, girls' bracelet; W. H. Wilkerson, jeweler, five brooches, five compasses, three bracelets; Angus Campbell Company, eight girls' handkerchiefs, forty pairs girls' gloves; McLennan, McFeely & Prior, baseball and bat; Digson's, printers, fountain pen; P. S. Martin, jeweler, one bead necklace, two bracelets; M. and H. A. Fox, penknife; Joseph Rose, jeweler, fountain pen and pencil set; Terry's Drug Store, two pounds of sugar; Cathbert's Shoe Store, four pairs of running shoes; Batchelor's Grocery, four pounds cheese; one large bottle of prepared mustard; Sylvester Feed Company, two pounds of sugar; Cathbert's Shoe Store, four pairs running shoes; Littlefield's Book Store, six books; Ryan-Wilson Company, half sack of potatoes; C. J. Carey, importer, ten pounds peanuts; Pacific Meat Company, five pounds sausages; Ideal Meat Market, five pounds sausages; Dale's, one roast chicken; Palm Dairy Products, three gallons ice cream; one quart sweet cream; Mallek's, ready-to-heat, three gallons ice cream; Universal Supply Store, tennis set; a friend, \$5; Rennie & Taylor, twelve dozen buns; Metropolitan Ch. Store, two large pies; Corvallis Bakery, large box assorted cakes; Mrs. Bailey's Antiques, novelties; Old English Hardware Company, four cases soda water; Dominion Hotel, six large pies; Poodle Dog Cafe, large bag of cakes; Western Fruit Co. Ltd., two big watermelons; B.C. Fruit Co. Ltd., two big watermelons; Clay's Bakery, large large cakes and Central Transfer Co. and Pacific Transfer Co. for transportation to and from.

MORGAN PARTNER VISITS ISLAND TO CATCH FISH

Harry Davis of New York Is Brother-in-law of Cornelius Vanderbilt

Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr., of New York, came down from Sproat Lake last evening to meet his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis, who are due on the island Sunday.

Mr. Davis is the junior partner of the big New York financial house of J. P. Morgan and Co. He will put in some time fishing in the vicinity of Campbell River.

Other Vanderbilt guests due in the city are Mrs. A. R. Bowtell, a close friend of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Miss Hazel Livingston of Oakland, a well-known novelist, and Dr. and Mrs. Russell Newling of Los Angeles.

Mr. Vanderbilt stated this morning that he and his wife plan to remain at Sproat Lake until the latter part of August.

The General Fur Farms Limited have taken over the fox farm of P. E. Cameron of Colwood. The former owner will leave shortly for Scotland with a shipment of silver foxes. J. S. Buntin, who came to this city last autumn, has been appointed caretaker of the farm. Under the new management the farm will be extended by another 100 pens at the end of the season.

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GIRL DOMESTIC BADLY BEATEN

Ottawa, Aug. 2.—Attacked by three men in her bedroom at J. Weldon Graham's summer home near Woodridge, Ont., Miss Francis Zeck, a domestic, was brutally beaten and left unconscious. No motive has been discovered in the attack which took place Thursday. Nothing of value was taken from the cottage.

A doctor worked over the girl for an hour before she was revived.

Belleville, Ont., Aug. 2.—W. E. Tummon, Conservative candidate of the Commons in South Hastings, Ont., secured a majority of 2,137, it was announced after the official count today. The figures are: W. E. Tummon, Conservative, 10,340; C. E. Hanna, Liberal, 8,143. Mr. Tummon has held the seat since 1925.

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The Dancing Floor

By JOHN BUCHAN

"Is that her name? I didn't know it. She rides well, but her manners are atrocious. Lord, how I dislike these dancin' sets! Let's get dinner over, for I've a lot to say to you about your jigsaw puzzle. It's extremely interesting, you know."

Later in the evening he put before me several sheets of foolscap on which he had written the translation in his small beautiful hand.

"The thing is headed 'Ta Kynastho,' he said. 'That puzzled me at first, till I remembered the phrase in the Iliad of Caesarea. It was the word used by the early Christians to describe the old divinity. Whoever wrote this—I don't know. But the original author was no doubt a Christian, and he is describing a belief and a rite which existed in his time at a place called Kynastho.'

"Where is this?"

"I'm hanged if I know. It's a fairly common place name in Greece. There's one in Arcadia."

I read his translation and could not make much of it. It reminded me of a schoolboy's version of a bit of Herodotus. "In Kynastho," said the writer, "there is a custom at the Spring Festival of welcoming the Queen (Despina was the word) with the rites of the symposium and the kistes, such as they use in the Mysteries. There is a certain sacred place, a well beside a white cypress, from which all the save the purified are excluded. In Kynastho the Queen is known as Pamborn (Kalligeneia). In winter the Queen is asleep, but she wakes in Spring, wherefore the Spring month is called by her name. . . . After this came a full description of the rites and a lot of talk about 'mantic birds.'

"There's nothing much in the first part," said Vernon. "It's the ordinary ceremony of the rebirth of Demeter. But notice that she is called 'Lady of the Wild Things.' There was a mighty unpleasant side to Demeter as well as an idyllic one and it didn't do to take liberties with the Queen of Shades. But read on."

The writer went on to say that in time as great a legend as Kynastho there was a different ceremony. It then became necessary to invite not only the Mistress but the Master. For this purpose a girl and a youth must be chosen and set apart in a hallowed place, and fed upon sacred food. The choosing was done by the victor in a race, who was given the right of purification, when the dithyramb had been sung. Bromios would be born from Semelë in the fifth and with him would come the Mistress. After that the place would be loved by the Gods, and corn, and oil, and wine would be multiplied.

That was the gist of the story. The manuscript must have been imperfect, for there were gaps and some obvious nonsense, and there were fragments of verse which I took to be part of the dithyramb. One ran like this: "O, Kourios most great, I give thee hail: Come, O Dithyrambos, Bromios come, and bring with thee most holy Spring. . . . Then will be sung over earth immortal a garland of flowers. . . . Voices of song will rise among the pines, The dancing floor will be lit with the smiling of a new Semelë."

I laid the paper down. Vernon was watching me with bright eyes. "Do you see what it is?" he said. "It's the Hymn of the Kourietes, which was discovered the other day in Crete, and from the Paean to Dionysos found in Delphi, and there is a fragment of Pindar in them too. We know Kourios, the Maiden, and we know the Kourios, who might be any male god—Dionysos or Zeus, or Apollo—but this is the only case I ever heard of where both Kourios and Kourios are found in the same ceremony. Kynastho, wherever it was, must have fairly gone on the bust. It's amazingly interesting, and that's why I want to know the story of the manuscript. I tell you it's a find of the first importance to scholarship. Look at the other things too—the sacred race and the winner called the King, just like the Basileus at the Olympic games. . . . And there's more." He went on. "Look at the passage about the hallow-

that no one can tell me. I liked your looks the first time I saw you, and every one says you are clever. Now, understand one thing about me, I'm not going to show the white feather. Whatever it is, I'm going to stick it out. Have you that clear in your head?"

"As I looked at the firm little chin I believed her."

"Well, can you enlighten me about the fence? You've heard of it. Theodore has to say, and you know the cheerful sort of family I belong to. Did you find anything in the papers?"

"You've read them yourself," I asked. "I tried to, but I'm not clever, you see. I thought my grandfather's journal great nonsense. I had never heard of most of the names. But you're good at these things. Did you make anything of them?"

"Nothing," I ran over the items in the bundle, not mentioning the Greek manuscript, which seemed to me to have nothing to do with the subject. "But there must be other papers."

"She showed me nothing," there were many others, but I buried them. Perhaps you can guess why."

"Miss Arabin," I said, "I want to help you, but I don't think we need bother about the papers. Let's go back to the beginning. I suppose it's no use my urging you to get out of Plakos, settle in England, and wipe all the papers of your memory."

"Not the slightest."

"I wonder why. After all, it's only common sense."

"The common sense," she retorted with a touch of her head. "I have known Theodore all my life, and I have forbidden him to raise that question. I have known you about a month, and I forbid you."

"Your family was unpopular—I understand, justly unpopular. All sorts of wild beliefs grew up about them among the peasants, and they have been transferred to you. The people are half savages, and half starved, and their mood is dangerous. They are coming to see in you the cause of their misfortunes. You go there alone and unprotected, and you have no friends in the island. The danger is that, after a winter of brooding, they may try in some horrible way to wreak their vengeance on you. That is what I learned from Mr. Ertzberger."

"The summary, as I made it, sounds unpleasant enough, but the girl did not seem to feel it. She nodded briskly. 'That, at any rate, is what Theodore says. He thinks they may make my sacrifice. Stuffy and nonsense, I say.'

"The word 'sacrifice' disgusted me. It reminded me of the Greek which Vernon had translated. 'Some risk there must be,' I went on, 'but what I cannot tell is the exact moment of it. Even among a people so devoted to superstition, it involves tragedy. You were in Plakos last spring. Tell me what happened.'

"She fitted a cigarette into a long amber holder, and blew a cloud of smoke which she watched till it disappeared."

"Nothing much. I was left entirely myself. There was only one servant in the house, the old Mitri, the steward, and I had my maid. The whole establishment was sent to Coventry. We had to get our food from the mainland, for we could buy nothing except now and then a little milk through Mitri's married daughter. It wasn't pleasant, I can tell you. By the worst was when I went for a walk. If I did, a man would make the sign of the evil eye and spit. If I spoke to a child his mother would snatch it up and race it down. I expected a slow death, and all were big beads as the girls against me, and carried garlic. I could smell it wherever I went. Sometimes I wanted to cry, and sometimes I wanted to swear, but you can do nothing but a silent boycott. I could have shaken the fools."

"What had they against you?" Die you ever find out?"

"Oh, Mitri used to tell me gossip that he had heard through his daughter, but Mitri isn't too popular himself, and he can't go about very far. It seemed they called me Basileus. That means Queen, and sounds friendly enough, but I think the word they really used was diabolos, which means a six-devil. The better disposed ones thought I was a 'Neria'—that's what they call fairies—but some said I was a strigis, that's a horrible kind of hairy, and some thought I was a vrykolakas, which is a vampire. They used to light little fires on the graveyards to keep me away. Oh, I got very sick of my reputation. It was a hideous bore not to be able to go anywhere without seeing scared people dodging up byways, and making the worst of me, and screaming for their children—simply damnable."

(To Be Continued)

ON THE AIR

(Programmes subject to late changes)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2

Columbia Broadcasting System

6 p.m.—Paramount Public Hour—Guest Stars of the Screen and David Mendosa.

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TO-MORROW

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8:45 a.m.—Jewish Art programme—Music, script and talks—KXJ.

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8:30 a.m.—International Broadcast—KXJ.

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Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Why Girls and Boys Leave Home—Surest Way for a Boy to Learn to Talk to Girls—Is It Worth While to Struggle for Success if Success Never Comes?

DEAR MISS DIX—Why do boys and girls, blessed with kind parents who provide well for them, leave home?
I know a girl whose father and mother lavished every luxury upon her, but who left them heartbroken to go out into the world, where she met with serious disappointments, but was finally prevailed upon to return home. Is this sorry state of affairs caused by our careless, jazz-mad, modern age?
E. B. T.

ANSWER—Boys and girls leave home for the same reasons that young birds leave the nest. They have an instinctive desire to try their wings.

Probably no more boys leave home now than have always left. Boys have always left home to seek their fortunes or in pursuit of adventure, and if more girls leave home than used to, it is merely because the modern age holds opportunities for them now that it did not have in their grandmother's day.

In olden times a girl had to stay at home because there was nowhere else for her to go. Home may have been as dull as dish water. In it she may have been doomed to a life of domestic slavery, without even a chance of transferring her serfdom from her parents to her husband. But she had to stay put, for the very good reason that she would starve if she got away from the paternal table.

But now, when a girl with a good trade can make her living anywhere in the world, fortune beckons and adventure lures the girl away from home, just as it does the boy. And so Peggy grabs her suitcase, jams on her sports hat, cuts mother's apron string, bangs the door behind her and is off on her own.

Of course, these young birds who hop so blithely out of the home nest and who are so confident of their ability to fly, find that they don't know so much about aerodynamics as they thought they did, and that it isn't as easy as they expected it to be to make tail dives and loop-the-loops. They all get some nasty falls. A few break their necks, and many of them smash their wings and come limping back home sadder and wiser birds. But they had to try out their own wings. It was a comic urge that they could not resist.

And, generally speaking, it is a good thing for them. If they succeed and develop the strength to stand on their own feet, well and good. They make better men and women for it. If they fail, they have at least had a valuable experience, which has taught them much and makes them appreciate home more.

There is no other cure so efficacious for the temperamental, discontented boys and girls who think they are heaven-ordained writers and actors and movie stars as letting them go and try it out. Most of them are glad enough to have a return ticket back home sent them and to connect again with a steady job and three square meals a day.

Another reason boys and girls leave home is that so many parents never realize that their children grow up and never accord them any liberty. Father and mother think that Mamie at eighteen should go to bed at the same hour she did when she was eight. And if John works for father, father feels that he should not expect the wages that he would pay another young chap, but that he should be content with a dollar or two of spending money.

And to save her life, mother cannot keep from nagging her children about putting on their rubbers and wrapping up warm, and putting them through a questionnaire about every single blessed thing they do and think, until she drives them away from home in order to get a little freedom.

On the whole, this going away from home is a good thing, for there is no truer saying than the old proverb: "Home-keeping youths have ever homely wit." There is no education equal to travel and seeing the world at first hand.
DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a boy and have come to the age where I want to take girls out, as all boys do. I go to dances and stag them simply because I don't know what else to do and that is embarrassing. Please advise me how to talk to girls in a sensible manner.
JOHN F.

ANSWER—A very long time ago, John, a wise man said, "Reading makes a full man." I don't think that anybody can give you a better tip on how to acquire a good line than that.

The reason that you find it difficult to talk to girls is because your mind is empty. Fill it up with good books, with magazines and the daily papers, and you will have an inexhaustible supply to draw upon. You will have plenty to talk about, because your memory will just be running over with romantic stories with amusing anecdotes, with good jokes, with all the wonderful things that are happening every day.

You won't be tongue-tied in any company if you are up on politics and know what the news is doing and can discuss European affairs and the last scandal and the latest murder. And if a girl is such a Dumb Dora that she isn't interested in any of these things, you will find that you have unconsciously acquired while learning other things, a lot of small talk on which you can feed human canary birds.

Not long ago a middle-aged woman, who is so fascinating that she always has a gallery following her wherever she goes, told me that when she was a young girl she was not pretty, and therefore she determined to make herself so interesting that nobody would notice her looks. So she made it a practice to read four hours every day, picking out as widely diversified subjects as she could, so that, no matter whom she was thrown with, she could talk entertainingly on his own particular interest or topic.

I recommend that plan to you, John. If you will put four hours a day reading for even a single year, you won't have to stax it because you can't talk. You will have girls running after you because you are so interesting. Try it.
DOROTHY DIX.

DEAR MISS DIX—Do you believe that if a person has always led a good, clean, straight life she will prosper in time? I have tried very hard to make a success in life, have worked very hard and made every effort, but to no avail. Must I keep on trying and believing that success will come in time, or give up entirely? It seems foolish for a person to waste her life trying when it isn't her fault that she doesn't succeed.
JANE.

ANSWER—But perhaps it is her fault, Jane. Perhaps she is trying to do the thing that she can never do, and so all her striving is simply lost motion.

I have known women who wasted their entire lives trying to write, when they had not the faintest talent for writing. I have known other women who wasted their lives trying to sing when God had not given them a voice.

Work, of itself, is not enough. You must work intelligently, and if you do work intelligently you will always succeed in the end. So my advice to you is to sit down and visualize yourself. Be honest with yourself, no matter how much it hurts, and find out what it is in you that has made you fail.

Perhaps you are trying to do something for which you are not adapted. Perhaps you are foolishly sacrificing yourself for others. Perhaps you are a bungling amateur who has never really learned to do any one thing well. Perhaps you lack the courage to leave home and go where fortune calls you or to strike out in a new direction. Think it over.

But it is always worth while to struggle, even if we do fail, because if we have done our best, we at least have our self-respect.

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Strawberry Vale

Miss Helen Cochrane entertained Wednesday evening in honor of her guests, Miss Elphie McMullen and her brother, John McMullen of Vancouver. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Leona Butt, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cochrane, Miss Grace Murray, Muriel Butt, Clarence Butt, William Sims, James Grouse and Fred Cochrane.

Rev. J. C. and Mrs. Switzer have moved into the Parsonage, Glyn Road, after camping for a month at Cordova Bay.

F. Pauwels of Whittier, Cal., is staying with his brother-in-law, R. Peters, Wilkinson Road.

REPORT MASSEY RESIGNED POST GIVEN DENIAL

Ottawa, Aug. 2.—The King Cabinet yesterday afternoon held its first meeting since the general election. Fourteen ministers attended. The session lasted four and one-half hours. Afterward the Prime Minister was asked if he had received the resignation of Hon. Vincent Massey from the post of Canadian High Commissioner.

Langford

A dance will be held at Langford Lakeside on Saturday, at 8 o'clock, with Freddy Moud's orchestra.

Mrs. William Davidson has returned to her home on the Goldstream Road. Service will be held in St. Matthew's Church to-morrow, at 7.30 o'clock.

Mess will be held in the Roman Catholic Church to-morrow morning, at 9.30 o'clock.

Six Girl Guides, with their captain, Mrs. R. P. Reynolds, enjoyed an excursion to the Gulf Island on Friday.

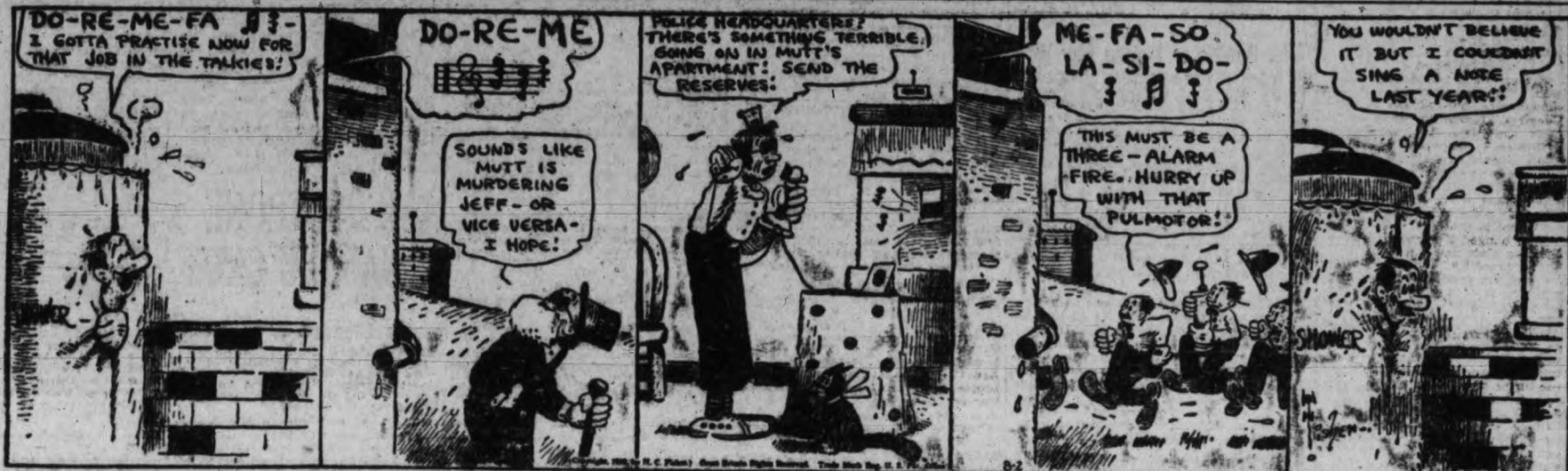
The guides were: Betty and Margaret Smalley, Stella and Ellen Hinks, Elizabeth Welch and Jean Clarke.

Miss Ina Williamson, from San Francisco, is visiting Mrs. and Miss L. Catlett, Langford Lake.

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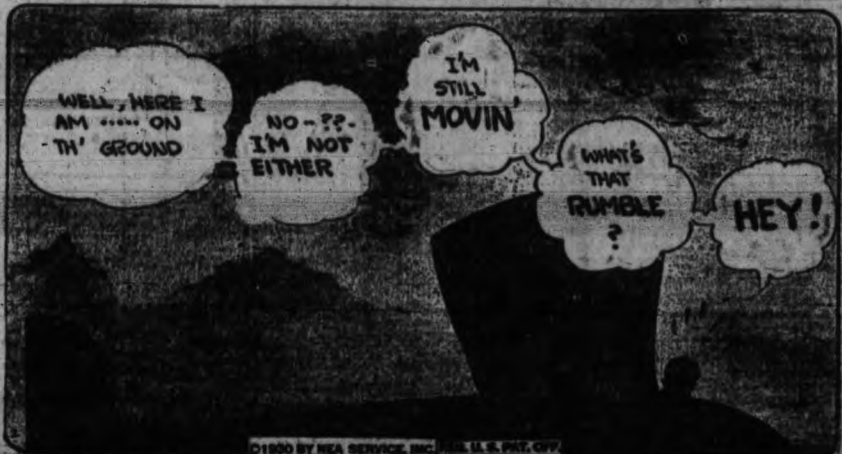
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**Boston Fish Pier
Is to Be Extended**

Boston, Aug. 2.—Improvements totaling \$750,000 are to be made at Boston Fish Pier by the tenants to care for Boston's rapidly growing fish business.

Twelve new piers, each eighty feet long by twenty-five feet wide, are to be erected at right angles to the main pier in order to increase the berthing space available. These will enable the Fish Pier to handle four or five times the present business.

As an experiment three of these piers will first be constructed and if the arrangement is satisfactory the additional piers will be built. The new piers will thus provide space for twenty-four fishing boats to unload at one time as compared with the present berthing space for about eight boats at a time. Plans for the new construction have been under consideration for the past two years.

The plan, which probably will be financed by a bond issue, is the product of several fishing executives and staff members of the pier.

TUKON AND ATLEN MAILS

Close: 1 p.m., Aug. 2, 3, 5, 13, 16, 20, 22, 26, via Vancouver; 3:15 p.m., Aug. 26, Sept. 2, via Seattle.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC
SPECIAL DAY
EXCURSION
to
SEATTLE**
Monday, August 4, 1930
Lve. Victoria, Princess Patricia 8:30 a.m.
Lve. Seattle, Princess Patricia 8:15 p.m.

Return Fare \$2.00
Children under 10 years half fare

**CANADIAN PACIFIC
MAYNE ISLAND
EXHIBITION
AUGUST 6, 1930
SPECIAL
EXCURSION**
By
PRINCESS PATRICIA
Lve. Victoria, 9:00 a.m.
Calling at James Island, Sidney, Ganges and Port Washington.
Arrive Mayne Island, 1 o'clock
Leave Mayne Island, 5:30 p.m.
Arrive Victoria, 9:30 p.m.
Return Fare \$1.75
Children 90¢

C.N. EXPRESS OPENS OFFICE IN VICTORIA

H. Boales of Moose Jaw Will
Look After Business Brought
Here By New Service

To handle the increased business which the new steamer Prince David will bring to Victoria, the Canadian National Express Company has appointed H. Boales its agent in Victoria commencing Monday. Mr. Boales' office will be in the Canadian National offices on Government Street. The company will also operate for the first time in Victoria a motor truck to look after deliveries to and from the steamers.

The new express service to and from Victoria will commence on August 13 with the arrival here of the new steamer Prince David to inaugurate a tri-city service between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle. Mr. Boales will look over his new territory until that time, however, so that he may have the situation of express deliveries in Victoria well in hand by the time the new ships are in service.

Mr. Boales has been representative of the express company at Moose Jaw since 1914 and has been most successful in that city. He arrived here this morning with Mrs. Boales and his four children and is now looking for a place to make his home. He likes Victoria and is glad to live here.

Mr. Boales and his family will be a decided acquisition to the social and sports life of Victoria. Mr. Boales is a tennis player of note, being the singles champion of Moose Jaw. This year he won the championship against all players on the western region of the Canadian National Railways. This entitled him to go to eastern Canada to meet the eastern champion, but on account of the opening of the Victoria office he was unable to do so.

Mr. Boales was vice-president of the Moose Jaw Kiwanis Club and for five years was chairman of the board of management of St. Andrew's United Church. He is also past master of the Doric Lodge A.F. and A.M.

PILOT'S LOOK OUT

Princess Norah, at Clouso, north-bound, 8 a.m. Victoria daily at 4:30 a.m. Princess Maquinn, at Port Alice, south-bound, 8 a.m. Seattle, passed out to sea for Europe, 1 a.m. Princess Prince, passed quarantine, bound Vancouver, 10:30 a.m.

Coastwise Movements

SEATTLE-VICTORIA
Princess Margaret leaves Victoria daily 8 a.m. arrives Seattle 7:45 p.m.
Princess Victoria leaves Victoria daily 1 a.m. arrives Seattle 12:45 p.m.
Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily 8:30 p.m. arrives Seattle 12:45 p.m.

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER
Princess Kathleen leaves Victoria daily 8 a.m. arrives Vancouver 12:45 p.m.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth leaves Victoria daily at midnight.

Princess Margaret arrives Victoria daily at 2:30 p.m.

Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth arrives Victoria daily at 4:30 a.m.

EDMONTON-VICTORIA
City of Victoria leaves Victoria daily at 1 p.m. arrives Edmonton 10:30 a.m.

City of Victoria arrives Victoria daily at noon on 10 p.m.

SEATTLE-BELLINGHAM
Olympic leaves Victoria daily at 8 a.m. arrives Bellingham 4:30 a.m.

VICTORIA-FORT ANGELES
Leaves Victoria daily at 10:15 a.m. arrives Fort Angeles 12:45 p.m.

INCOULS
Leaves Victoria daily at 9 a.m. arrives Incouls 12:45 p.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER
Leave Nanaimo daily at 7 a.m. and 2:15 p.m. arrive Vancouver daily at 9:15 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Leave Vancouver daily at 10 p.m. and 5:45 p.m. arrive Nanaimo daily at 12:15 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Special trip made each day by Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth.

ALASKA SERVICE
Princess Alice, Princess Louise and Princess Charlotte leave Victoria every Tuesday and Friday night at midnight for Prince Rupert, Skagway and way points. Prince Rupert or Prince George leave Vancouver every Monday at 10 p.m. Prince Henry leaves Vancouver every Thursday at 10 p.m.

Princess Maquinn leaves Victoria at 11 p.m. July 26, August 6, 16 and 26.

Princess Norah leaves Victoria at 11 p.m. July 21, August 1, 11 and 21.

SIDNEY-STEVENSON
Leave Sidney 8:45 a.m. arrive Stevenson 11:45 a.m. leave Stevenson 4 p.m. arrive Sidney 7:30 p.m. leave Sidney 4 p.m. arrive Stevenson 7:15 p.m. arrive Sidney 10:15 p.m.

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Around the Docks

DUE IN MORNING

The Furness motorliner Pacific Shipper, having left San Francisco on Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, is expected to round Race Rocks early tomorrow morning on her way into Victoria from the United Kingdom by way of the Panama Canal and California ports. She will dock at the Ribbier pier about 6 o'clock. King Brothers local agents, expect. For Victoria she has 110 tons of general cargo. There are three passengers aboard the ship, but these will proceed to Vancouver.

SHIPPING FIGURES

During the month of July there were 672,865 tons of shipping touching Victoria inbound and 523,014 tons outbound, according to figures released by the Federal Department of Customs. Of the inbound total United States shipping was in the lead with 269,130 tons; Japanese vessels totalling 53,121 tons; United Kingdom ships 21,576 tons; and ships of other countries accounted for 4,038 tons. Outbound the United States was also in the lead with 264,156 tons; Canada next with 158,127 tons, followed by the United Kingdom with 41,462 tons, and Japan with 31,903 tons.

LOADING LUMBER

The Japanese freighter Atlantic Maru docked at the Ribbier pier yesterday evening, and this morning at 8 o'clock longshoremen commenced loading 550,000 feet of Vancouver Island lumber aboard for Orient ports. The ship will be here over the week-end. Henry King of King Brothers, is handling her during the stay at this port.

EMPRESS LOADING

The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada is now loading cargo in Vancouver for her outward voyage to Honolulu, Japan, China and the Philippines. The ship will leave for Victoria on Thursday afternoon, and this port next Thursday afternoon. Graham Harris, recently appointed to the post of manager of the Empress of Canada, was in Victoria this week spending a few days with his parents here.

SIBERIAN PRINCE IN

Bound for Vancouver and the Fraser River, the freighter Siberian Prince, passed the William Head quarantine station this morning at 10:30 o'clock. King Brothers expect the ship to be here over the week-end. Henry King of King Brothers, is handling her during the stay at this port.

CROSSING PACIFIC

Bound for Victoria and Vancouver, the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of

MAIL SERVICES

Gulf Islands Mails

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Also close at Victoria—Monday, Friday, afternoon, Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7:15 a.m.

HEAVEN POINT, FULFORD HARBOR
Mails close at Victoria—Tuesday, 10 a.m. Wednesday, Friday, 11:15 p.m.

SATURDAY
Mails close at Victoria—Tuesday, 10 a.m. Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.

SOUTH FENDER
Mails close at Victoria—Tuesday, 10 a.m. Wednesday, 11:15 p.m.

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Empress of Japan Arrives in China Bound For Victoria

Vancouver, Aug. 2.—Under the command of Captain Samuel Robinson, R.N., C.B.E., the new flagship of the Pacific fleet of the Canadian Pacific steamships, the Empress of Japan, arrived at Hongkong this morning, according to cable advice received by Capt. Robinson, superintendent of C.P. steamships here.

The Empress of Japan, on her first journey across the Pacific in regular service, will leave Hongkong on August 7 and will arrive in Victoria Friday, August 22, commencing her return trans-Pacific trip on September 4.

MAY POSTPONE NAMING CHIEF

Selection of a successor to H. F. Alexander as president of the Pacific Coast Company may not be made for thirty days, according to advice received in Seattle today from San Francisco.

R. Stanley Dollar, executive vice president of the company, is in the east and will not return to his headquarters for at least a month. It was indicated that nothing would be done in selecting a successor to Mr. Alexander until Mr. Dollar's return to San Francisco, when a meeting of the board of directors of the company will be called.

Spoken By Wireless

August 1, 8 p.m.—Shipping.
Victoria to Seattle, 300 miles from Seattle.
Alaska, Victoria to Sydney, 928 miles from Seattle.
CHIEF CAPTAIN, Yokohama to Vancouver, 575 miles from Vancouver.
WATER, Paris to Yokohama, 1,100 miles from Seattle.
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VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, AUGUST 2, 1930

Famous Tyee Club Game of Fish Ready For Fray Calls to Anglers

By Times Special Representative

CAMPBELL RIVER, one of the beauty spots of Vancouver Island and one of its most discussed areas both from a tourist and industrial point of view has once again cast its spell over the world's sportsmen. At this time of year the question of greatest moment there, is the Tyee competition. Campbell River is one of the finest fishing areas of the world and it is at the height of its season.

One cannot talk of this district without mentioning some of the old-timers who have helped to bring it to the notice of the world. The Thulins, Hanans, Mr. Munn, Jack Smith, the Petersons, Walter Crawford and Mrs. A. McNeil are among them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thulin were the first settlers at Campbell River arriving about 1904. They built what is now known as the first headquarters for the Tyee Club. It was called the Hotel Willows and is now known as the Strathcona Apartments. In 1909 Mr. Thulin and Mr. Hanan built another Willows Hotel on the site where the Tyee Headquarters stand to-day. This hotel cost about \$30,000 with complete furnishings, but it was burned to the ground, the net loss to the owners being about \$16,000.

Nothing daunted, Mr. Thulin built the present Willows Hotel in 1910 and continued in business there until some few years ago when he sold out to Stanley Isaacs who is now the proprietor of the hotel and Tyee headquarters, and is also secretary of the Tyee Salmon Club.

Mr. Thulin says that even before the present Tyee Club was formed many people came to the place year after year from all over the world. Sportsmen in England would cable reservations at Christmas time for the following season, so eager were they to be sure of getting quarters for fishing.

It may sound strange to those who do not know of the changed conditions—that many years ago the Campbell River area had more visitors than it has to-day. In the early days, however, Forbes Landing resort, the Campbell Lakes and the Strathcona Park area were not opened. You got as far as Campbell River, and unless you were a hunter the "river" was as far as you went.

PROPOSED CHANGES

It is now rumored that a U.S. company will build a resort on the famous Spit at Campbell River near the Indian reserve. There is also talk of a golf course on this Spit. Campbell River sportsmen are talking about forming cricket teams and are already practising on the Spit.

Some fishermen are camping on the Spit so that it has to take care of almost every kind of sport in the Campbell River area.

Mr. Thulin to-day has about 1500 acres in and around Campbell River, and has the largest and most up-to-date farming and dairying equipment in the district.

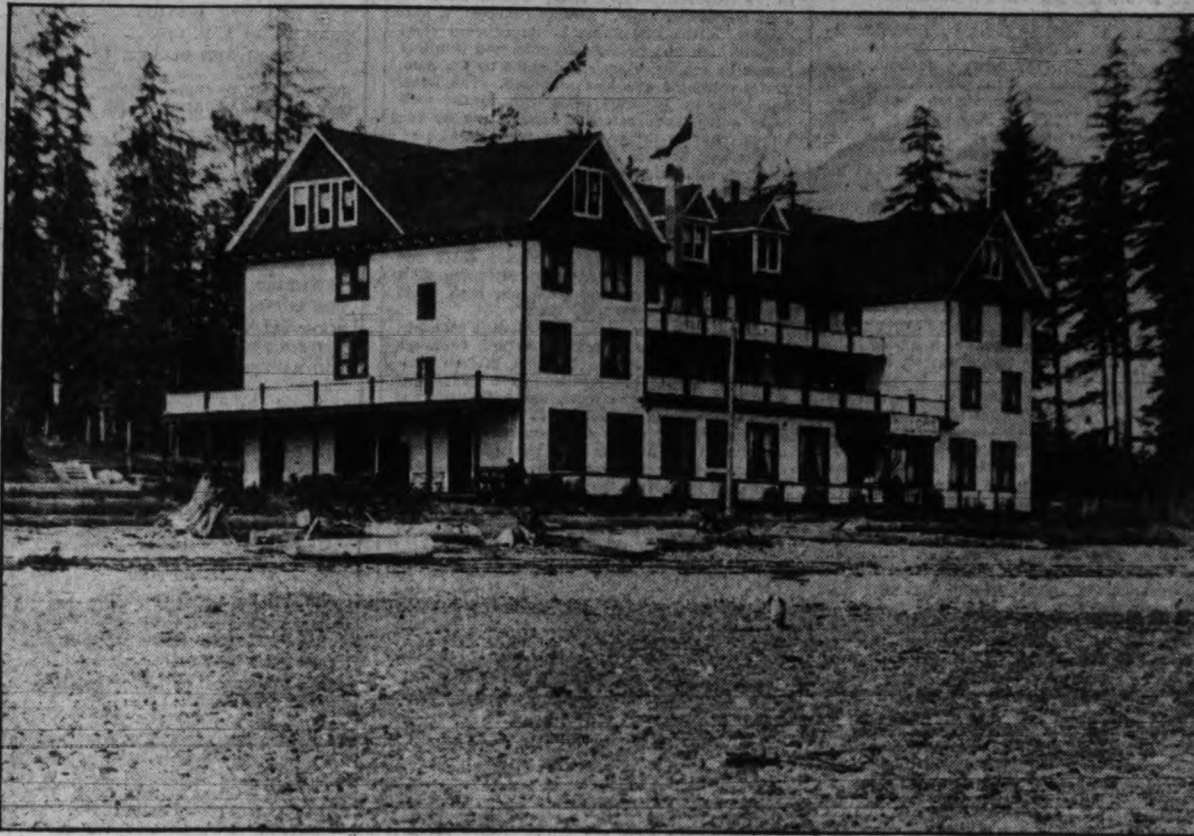
The village itself has grown in recent years and has a bank, store, post office, drug store and a restaurant. It is served by four steamers from the Mainland weekly and four from the north on the way down. There is good stage service daily, and one can get as far north as Courtenay by rail and then transfer to a stage for Campbell River.

The "river" has an up-to-date hospital where many cases are handled. Much credit is due to Charles Thulin for his efforts to secure the founding of this hospital. This fine old pioneer interested business men in Victoria and the Mainland and finally got enough to give the district a much needed medical institution.

For the time being industrial conditions are not as brisk as usual, but it is believed to be just a calm before the rush—and for the moment one can talk of other flourishing business, Tyee fishing.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE

For over thirty years sportsmen from all



Where the Famous Tyee Is Supreme—Headquarters of the Tyee Club at Campbell River.

over the world have made an annual pilgrimage to the famous Tyee fishing area. This year is no exception. Cars from California, Washington and many other states, various parts of Canada are packed outside the headquarters of the Tyee Club, and many visitors are encamped on the Spit.

AUGUST BEST MONTH

August is considered by the more experienced Tyee fishermen to be the best month, though the season actually starts on July 1 and ends in September.

The first headquarters at Campbell River was erected about twenty years before the Tyee Club was organized—and about twenty-three years before it was incorporated.

To reach Campbell River and the Tyee fishing area, 173 miles from Victoria, it is possible to go direct by car or stage from Victoria, passing through all the beauty spots on the Island Highway.

After leaving Nanaimo, one passes through Northfield, Wellington, Lantzville, Nanose, Craig's Crossing, Parksville, famous Qualicum Beach, through Little Qualicum, then Little Qualicum River, on through Dashwood and Dunsuir, where there are several good camps and hostels, Bowser, Fanny Bay, Mud Bay, on to Union Bay, opposite the fine agricultural island of Denman and to Royston and Courtenay. Some Tyee fishermen make Courtenay their headquarters, and drive the twenty-eight miles in their car to Campbell River. Others make Comox their headquarters.

After passing through Courtenay, one has the choice of two roads, either going along the lower road which joins the main highway at Merville or the high road from Courtenay or Comox to Campbell River. Along the main highway one gets a choice view of the Glacier and Mount Albert Edward, back of Courtenay and Cumberland. This takes one through Sandwick, Grantham, Merville, all very fine agricultural areas, then on to Oyster River. Side roads lead to such beauty spots as Kyle Bay, Little River and Saratoga Beach with fine white sand about half a mile long.

Many Victorians are familiar with Saratoga Beach which was formerly Oyster Bay Beach. Improvements planned there will mean

much to the many tourists and travelers who have sought hotel accommodation there. A hotel project is now under consideration.

Onward the traveler goes to Campbell River fourteen miles away. Along the highway, one is on the bank of the Gulf of Georgia until coming to Discovery Passage, where a view of Powell River, the busy paper mill town can be obtained. Directly opposite is Cape Mudge, a treacherous point for shipping. There is a fair-sized Indian village not far from Cape Mudge on Quadra Island. Across from Campbell River village, can be seen Quathiaski Cove, a fairly large fishing settlement with a good-sized cannery.

Those who picture Campbell River as merely a logging centre will get quite a surprise at the beauty of the district. The famous Seymour Narrows that have caused a good deal of interest to many people on Vancouver Island, particularly Victoria, are not far from there.

There are those who stoutly maintain that if the idea of building bridges over Seymour Narrows was a good one years ago—it surely is good to-day. Those who are likely to take part in the Tyee fishing this season now open will have a fair chance to make a short tour in the area under discussion because the boundary for Tyee fishing goes north of the Seymour Narrows to Deep Bay.

TYEE AREA

The Tyee area proper is limited to the waters of Discovery Passage, bounded on the south by a line extended due west from Cape Mudge, and on the north by Seymour Narrows.

There are two Deep Bays, only a few miles apart in this area and in discussion of fishing limits they are often confused.

An explanation of this matter will interest all sportsmen, for if it is not properly understood, might lead to the passing of laws whereby this valuable tourist industry might be ruined.

At the first Deep Bay, east of Bowser and opposite Denman Island, there is a cannery. The fishing and canning there do not enter in the doubts as does the Deep Bay north of Seymour Narrows. It is at the latter bay that unless precautions are taken and closely watched by those interested in Tyee fishing trouble is likely to arise. It was explained to the writer, that an attempt has been made to have the Deep Bay north of Seymour Narrows open to seine fishing and should this ever be allowed in about two years it would destroy the Tyee fishing in the Campbell River area.

There is no doubt that much credit is due to A. W. Neill, Federal member for the Comox-Alberni district for the fight he has waged to prevent the destruction of what is believed to be one of Vancouver Island's most attractive sport.

Every Tyee that is caught by the Tyee members no matter whether it is one pound in weight or sixty pounds costs on the average about \$100 it is estimated. By taking into account the number of members who visit Campbell River annually—and the fish that are caught one can appreciate the value of this sport to the business men on the Island.

An impression has been created that only residents of British Columbia belong to the Tyee Club. This is far from true because one has only to look at the list of directors and honorary members to see that the club is not only national in its scope, but international.

The honorary members are Lt. Gov. Ran-

dolph Bruce; Lord Astor, of London, England; John P. Babcock, Deputy Commissioner of Fisheries for B.C.; C. H. Cobb, Seattle, Washington; F. Grey Griswold, New York; Zane Grey, Avalon, Catalina Island; Senator William Humphrey, Washington, D.C.; Stewart White, U.S.A.; A. W. Neill, M.P., and W. C. Butler, Everett, Washington.

There is also an international flavor in the officers of the Tyee Club for 1930. The honorary president is General Sir John Asser, of England and the president, James G. Potts, of Vancouver; first vice-president, Dr. J. A. Wiborn, Avalon, Catalina Island; second vice-president, Dr. E. A. Pease, Pasadena, Cal.; A. N. Wolverton, Vancouver, and T. A. Spencer, West Vancouver.

It will be seen from the names the great interest shown by leading business men and sportsmen all over the world. Rules governing the club are as strictly enforced by the management as are those of horse-racing in Great Britain.

The objects of the club are:
To foster interest in Canada's greatest game fish.

OBJECTS OF CLUB

To emphasize the ideals of sportsmanship as distinguished from slaughter.

To standardize fishing tackle.

To co-operate with the Fisheries Department of the Dominion of Canada in the observation of tagged fish.

To properly authenticate and record weights and measurements of fish taken on legitimate tackle from waters within the jurisdiction of the club.

To officially frown on the taking of fish in any other way.

The membership is strictly limited to amateur anglers who have qualified by taking a Tyee salmon weighing thirty pounds or over on light tackle.

That the ideals of sportsmanship and code of ethics promulgated by the club are receiving wide recognition, is becoming more and more evident. Moreover the wielder of the old hand-line is rapidly becoming an object of polite ostracism. Even some of the professionals have begun to experiment with rods and reels.

The rules are many but a few would be of general interest. Non-resident anglers are required by the Provincial Government to pay a fee of \$1.00 per day or \$10.00 for the season. Licenses may be had from any Government office or from the Tyee Headquarters.

The angler must bring his fish to gaff unaided and no other person may touch rod, reel or line, except for the purpose of removing the lead and handling the leader for the purpose of gaffing.

All fish entered for membership qualifications or for prizes must be weighed by the official weigher of the club and on scales approved by the club. There is no chance of flaking. The official weigher, Mr. Painter, signs the weight certificate which has to be witnessed by a boatman, certifying to its capture and method.

Only fish weighed on the date of capture are eligible for membership qualification or club competition.

The following acts or omissions disqualify

a catch: Broken rod; failure to comply with tackle specifications; throwing gaff at fish; use of harpoon or lily iron; use of mushroom or umbrella floats; use of gaff over four feet long; any assistance from more than one gaffer in killing a fish; use of more than one hook attached to the leader at any one time.

Protests relative to weight must be made before the fish is removed from landing. Protests relative to tackle or manner of capture must be filed in writing at the headquarters of the club within twenty-four hours after the fish is weighed.

Fish hooked or taken from motor-driven boats are disqualified because of the restricted area of fishing waters, the shallow pools and inability to manage a boat without oars, and to stay clear of other lines. One power boat can spoil the fishing of fifty anglers. This, and the fact that no large button fish of the Tyee Club has ever been caught from a power boat, makes this regulation advisable.

The use of a hand line by anyone in the boat, or the use of more than one rod by any angler, disqualifies. Shooting hooked fish disqualifies.

The idea behind all these regulations of the Tyee Club is to the end that the brave Tyee may have a fair fight, and that men wearing the coveted emblem of the Tyee Club shall be known as worthy champions of the rod.

METHOD OF WEIGHING

Many would like to know how a Tyee is weighed. If you multiply the square of the girth (in inches at the thickest point) by the length (in inches) from the point of the mouth to crotch of tail and divide by 800 it will give the approximate weight in pounds.

Each incoming tide brings its run. Curiously enough, one day's run will average nearly all very large fish; the next will have small fish. Possibly these two schools started a month or two before—a thousand miles apart. Conditions of feed and environment had been more favorable to one than another.

However, during the first three weeks in August each year—and the date of the first arrivals never varies more than three or four days—those Tyee salmon afford sportsmen some of the wildest fishing on light tackle in the world. By the last of August and the first week in September they have turned black, have become "loggy" and have lost so much of their speed that they can no longer be classed the greatest game fish of the Pacific.

One of the Tyee Club's mottos is "not how many but how big." Some of the more skillful members of the Tyee Club have taken as many as seven or eight Tyees over twenty-five pounds in one day and three or four have taken more than forty in a season. Only record fish are listed, however. A thirty-pound fish gives a member of the Tyee Club a bronze medal. A forty-pound Tyee fish is worth a silver button; a fifty-pound Tyee, a gold button and a sixty-pound fish a diamond button. The largest Tyee of the season wins a championship medal and the fortunate angler receives the title "Tyee Man" for the year.

Since the Tyee Club was formed in 1924, the following have been Tyee Men: M. E. Charleston, Vancouver; Dr. J. A. Wiborn, Avalon, Catalina Island; General Sir John Asser, Governor of Bermuda; W. F. Coleman, Seattle; Dr. Lewis Smith, of London, England, and Dr. W. C. Kintner, of Seattle.

So far this year according to what the writer heard at Campbell River over a week ago a lady had caught the largest of the season. It weighed thirty-three pounds and was caught by Mrs. Chilt, of Chicago.

RECORD CATCH

The record so far since the Tyee Club was organized is that of Dr. Wiborn with a capture of a Tyee weighing fifty-eight and a half pounds.

The photo shows on this page is that of Dr. W. C. Kintner with three Tyees hanging on a line weighing fifty pounds, forty pounds and thirty pounds, caught last year. He was Tyee Man for the year with a fifty-six and three-quarters pound catch.

It must not be thought that these are the



Nearly Too Big to Handle—Pat Fletcher, E. and N. Conductor, Got These.

largest fish that have been caught in the Campbell River area. Many Victorians have seen the one weighing seventy pounds or more in the provincial museum. This was captured by Sir Richard Musgrave some years ago. Then again there are others who catch just as large salmon in other parts not very far from the Campbell River area. In a picture on this page are shown two large salmon weighing fifty-three pounds each, caught by the popular E. & N. Railway conductor "Pat" Fletcher. One of the boys holding the pole is Roy Fletcher, his son. These were caught in Comox Bay.

It must be admitted that Tyee fishing is real sport, because there are no money prizes, only a button to be won, but the competition is so keen and the rules so strict that only a real sportsman can afford to take part.

The guides for Tyee fishing are as important as the sportsmen who go to fish, and it is said that they get as much pleasure out of the Tyee fishing as the fishermen do themselves.

It is far better to have a guide, because if you think the effort worth while it is worth doing well. The rates are reasonable, but there is no limit to what you may give a good guide. Some have been known to get very large fees when one of the members has been successful and caught a "big one."

The Tyee Club does not bar any light tackle which in the opinion of the tackle committee, conforms to the spirit of giving the fish an even chance for its life. The Tyee light tackle rod is of wood, with butt and tip, not shorter than six feet over all, but not to exceed fourteen inches in length; tip to be not more than six ounces. (By tip is meant the length from the outer end of the rod to the butt.) The line should be of standard nine-strand linen, with a maximum breaking strain when dry of twenty-six pounds. The length of the line is unlimited. Metal lines will not be permitted, but leaders may be of wire or other material, limited to six feet in length. Double line may be used if desired, but limited to ten feet. One hook only is permitted. Any line of more than twelve strand is barred from the Tyee Club Competition.

Looking down the list of names of successful Tyee fishermen one does not find very many residing on Vancouver Island and it would seem that they are scattered all over the world. F. Abbott, A. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bunyard, Thornton A. Fell and Thomas W. Palmer seem to be the only Victoria people who have been successful as Tyee Club members since the club was formed. No Victorian has been Tyee winner since the club was formed. This shows that the competition is very keen and no member has been "Tyee Man" two years in succession.



Touring the Island!



What a Tyee Man Does—Three Monsters Hooked by Dr. Kintner of Seattle.

Comments on Current Literature

BOOKS OF THE DAY

By Prof. W. T. Allison
And Other Authorities

"Tharlane" Is Novel of Australian Bush

A Review
By PROFESSOR W. T. ALLISON

AUSTRALIA is a country of which Canadians know all too little. It is, therefore, a pleasure for me to chronicle the appearance of "Tharlane," a novel by an Australian woman, Dorothy Cottrell, in which she has successfully portrayed characters such as are to be found in the sheep country of Southwestern Queensland and the very form and substance of life in general in that vast semi-tropical domain of the dingo, the rabbit, and the kangaroo. Mrs. Cottrell was born and brought up in Queensland and, from her dedication of her story to an old drover, we gather that she has known many of the episodes which are strung together to make up this volume. Her purpose, she informs us, was to show the life of man as it is in the outlands of the earth, a very primitive life wherein their strength is, as it were, poured out to make marks on the ground which the next rains splash away. "They labor so doggedly, desperately to sow grain that is dried up by drought. They die and there is nothing but fading gossip to record their dying. The dear indiscriminate bush gossip which mingles the statement of last tragedy and speculation as to the birth of twin calves, romance and some triviality of labor."

"Men are there . . . they are gone. But the seasons stay, the times of heat and drought, of rain and bloom. And yet while men are there, they are more than the ageless seasons with which they strive."

THE REPLICAS OF FLAGSTAFF

It is an old device of novelists to lay the first scene of a story in an inn. Mrs. Cottrell depicts a number of drovers, sheep-shearsers, and the like drinking in a bar-room on a stormy, rainy night in the little town of Murgen. And among these men "who lived so much in silence that to talk was a rare, shy delight, or a bragging ecstasy, according to the nature of the man," the eye of a stranger would have been centered on "old H.B." as he was called by everyone, an Australian replica of Falstaff, at least as far as girth and cunning were concerned, but with a physical courage and energy which "flat Jack" never possessed.

Take a good look at old H.B., for around him the whole story revolves. "Immense, pot-bellied, jocosely leering, he sat at the table end, his ancient ransacked hat cocked at a rakish angle over one yellowish-grey rather pig-like eye. Glistening droplets clung to his silver eyebrow tufts and grey upturned moustache, and rolled down his bulging bronze cheeks, sluicing through his treble chin to the great hairy expanse of his chest, revealed by his loosened oilskin collar and open shirt. A leg-of-mutton arm, terminated by a hand like that of a baby Titan, was planted skilfully against either enormous water-streaming side, and he lolled back in the chair whose strength he had carefully tested before seating himself, as some coarse Tartar prince might have. His girth was a full ninety inches. His eyes almost closed with a basking lizard-like content, and he leered jovially at his companions, while the light of the smoking kerosene lamp shone over him in dull orange and rose, and behind him through the uncurtained window flickered the cold gleams of lightning. When he called for drinks, he flashed a heavy note roll, and once it dropped carelessly to the floor, and a little man leaning on the bar looked at it hungrily."

THE LITTLE MAN AND THE BIG MAN

As every reader will suspect, here is a hint how the story is going to develop. There will be robbery, perhaps murder. The little man leaning over the bar managed to get neither old H.B.'s roll nor his life, what he got was twenty years in prison and what he nursed during that long period was a strong desire for revenge. This supplies what might be called an underlying motive for the whole story, for the fat, Queensland double of Sir John Falstaff was more of a coward at heart than the "hero" of the battle of Shrewsbury. It would not be fair to the author if I were to tell how the little man swept to his revenge, but it was one of the most colossal that I have ever encountered in fiction. It makes one of the mightiest climaxes that could be imagined and it is worth while to read this story just to be in at H.B.'s finish.

OLD H.B.'S SOARING AMBITION

The rise and culmination of the action in the story, however, had little to do with the first episode, the attempted murder of old H.B. when he lay sleeping in his lonely camp on his long trek across the Queensland plains. It has to do with his resolve to lease Tharlane, a vast area, "a thousand square miles of till unconquered earth," which had already ruined several sheep farmers and was now so long unoccupied that the few buildings on the place had begun to fall into decay. H.B. inquired about Tharlane from Donald the Shearer, Drover and Agent, and others present in the little bar-room, and, in spite of the hard luck stories they told of the stark tragedy that broke Doolan and other leasees of that vast sheep and cattle range, his ego soared within him and, leaning forward over the table, he said thickly: "One man can work Tharlane an' that's little old H.B. Old H.B.'s work Tharlane an' yer'll all work for 'im!" No one was impressed by this alcoholic prophecy, but this heavy-punching drover with absurdly insufficient capital, made good his bar-room boast. Where other men had failed, by tenacity, driving-power, cunning, unscrupulousness, cruelty, and nerve he succeeded, and his battle with drought and every other foe which makes sheep-farming in Australia such a gamble forms the substance of this picturesque story.

"BARY" STRATHMORE'S PORTRAIT

The love element in the story, and let me say in passing that it is beautifully handled, is supplied first by Dan the Shearer and Georgina, the daughter of Old Baska, a patriarchal horse and cattle thief, and later by Drover Sandy and his Martha. A fine study in uncomplaining womanhood is that of Sarah Strathmore, mother of an idiot son, nurse to poor old man Perkins, and heroic farmer in her own right on a place which produced little more than hard luck. "Bary" was liked by even old H.B. himself; even he, hardest of hard-boiled sinners, had to confess that she was about the best woman he had ever seen. Bary had "come been married and very happy—for a week! Only then her husband went away and they had discovered that he possessed a wife already. Bary had borne him a little son, whom Bary said was backward and her brother Anthony described as a 'judgment.' But old H.B. was in

What Wise Men Are Writing

NO WOMAN ought to imitate men; men are not worth it.

—William Lyon Phelps.

ONE OF the reasons of our great progress has been our curiosity.

—Secretary of Interior Wilbur.

I DON'T believe there will ever be a successful development of commercial aviation between Ireland and America.

—Captain Charles Kingsford-Smith.

SOMETIMES this faith in the unavoidable destiny of progress seems to have become the national religion of our entire country.

—Hendrik Willem Van Loon, author.

THE BEEFY foxhunter who never opens a book is a pathetic anachronism—only fit for a museum of fossils.

—Dean William Ralph Inge.

MANY a man has married what he thought was a slender, exotic maiden, only to find after a few years of domestic life that she had broadened out like the Missouri river.

—Elsie McCormick.

I THINK it is a very dull and dreary business being consistent.

—George Lansbury, British M.P.

WOMEN, as a rule, have no leaning to compromise.

—Dean William Ralph Inge.

IF I WERE running the world I would have it rain only between 2 and 5 a.m. Anyone who was out then ought to get wet.

—William Lyon Phelps.

IS IT NOT a base superstition that mere numbers will give wisdom? Is it not universally seen that crowds are more foolish than more violent and more cruel than men separate and alone?

—Will Durant, author.

Gallipoli's First Year

IN "GALLIPOLI MEMORIES," Compton Mackenzie, the author, plans the personal record of his experiences in the Gallipoli adventure as a four-volume work, of which this, the first book, covers the period of his service as an espionage officer attached to the staff of Gen. Ian Hamilton during the 1915 expedition launched against the Dardanelles. Mackenzie, who is now a member of the staff of the Admiralty, has written this book with a frankness and honesty that is rare in the literary world. He tells us that he was a member of the staff of the Admiralty, and that he was a member of the staff of the Admiralty, and that he was a member of the staff of the Admiralty.

The book is very long, nearly 600 pages of small type; has occasional chapters which are intensely interesting, though to read them one must wade through a deal that seems superfluous and a little dull. Graphically written, containing some of the best prose the novelist has turned out in recent years, the book has a peculiar faculty of seeming to grow better and better the more slowly one reads it.

the habit of saying, "Now, if you want to see real bloody goodness, look at Bary!" In my opinion the portrait of Bary will remain in the reader's mind longer than that of almost any character in this story.

A FLOCK OF 15,000 EWES

Mrs. Cottrell's characters are so human and, in the main, so amusing with their quaint semi-cockney manner of speaking, that we are tempted to hurry along, skipping the descriptions in her story. But we should not lose sight of the fact that her descriptive power is remarkably good. Her description of the three years' drought in the Australian bush is wonderfully done, so are the vivid pages in which she pictures for us the amazing fecundity of vegetation after the big rains have broken the dry spell. It was after the earth put forth the tender green once more that at least H.B., who endured the drought in a wrath that passed untroubled, bought fifteen thousand ewes. The coming of this army of innocents is described in this graphic paragraph:

"They flowed out and out from the sandalwood scrub and came on across the open; the stupid amazement of their faces held forward, questioning, and from them rose the ceaseless whispering, plaintive bleating, and the sound of sixty thousand little feet. Small sounds that, through the mere force of repetition and a running insistence, became a great sound. The sound that a vast river of pebbles might make flowing down a steep place into the sea. . . . And as the old ewes came with little steps around the burr-bush and tussock and stone, and across the green and silver earth of the box flat, or the red molis earth of the road, they wore the wonderful pattern of sheep pads. For the first sheep left a little sharp hoof print in the red earth, and the next cut it into a pattern of stars or triangles, and the next and the next, and the hundredth was following a little trampled path; and when the thousandth passed, there was the little hollowed winding river of a dusty pad. Their worn old faces bobbing and peering, their bodies heavy with fleece and lamb, their little feet stepping discreetly, they were weaving the net wherewith Australia has been bound to the white man."

A LAND HUNGER THAT SCORCHED DEBT

Old H.B.'s luck turned with the coming of the flock and soon there were 100,000 sheep on his immense farm and prosperity poured over him like a flood. But the more he prospered the more he went into debt, for he was possessed of a land hunger which nothing could abate. At the age of seventy-five he was as tireless and as ambitious as ever. "Standing in the sun, he looked back across a thousand victories of the earth battle, and, looking forward, noted death that was the end of the battling. Still, seventy-five was not so old! That spring old H.B. was fifty thousand pounds in debt again, for he had bought Arden's Land."

"Mrs. Henrica said that he would be in a pauper's grave before he died."

That fate was spared him, but a more terrible one, one dramatic in the extreme, tore down this old struggler in one wide ruin. What it was and how he faced it makes the climax of a story which will no doubt take a permanent and honored place in Australian fiction.

Magazine Manuscripts Found After 20 Years

ONE of the problems of magazine editors is to have ready for publication manuscripts that will charm the reader three months after they are put into type. That means that the manuscript was written anywhere from a month to a year before it was decided on for publication. The editor has to buy well in advance, hoping the material will be able to stand up against competition when it is finally printed. Every magazine, no matter how efficiently conducted, buys more material than it can print. Sometimes this becomes a great accumulation of frozen assets. The author has the poor solace of having received his cheque without having seen his article in print. I recall one writer who "made" Collier's about ten years ago and became the lion of his circle at once. Week after week he bought the magazine, only to find that his article had been postponed. Of course, that was before the days of Bill Chenery's editorial direction.

Now comes the interesting news that George P. Pierot, managing editor of The American Boy, is reading through twenty years' accumulation of manuscripts of The Youth's Companion with a view of determining whether any can be used in The American Boy. In an interview with William E. Harris of the Writer, Pierot explained that many of these stories were bought years ago and had no possible value to his magazine. Some are completely outmoded by the coming of the automobile and by scientific changes. He is going to return them to their authors, if he can locate the authors, and he wants those who may still be waiting for the appearance of their tales to write him (at Detroit, Mich.) in the event their manuscripts are held up in The Youth's Companion's inventory. One may imagine how aged authors, grown grey writing for the wood pulp magazines, suddenly recall juveniles penned long before, stories that they have never seen in print.

What these frozen assets of the late Companion amounted to will probably never be known; The Companion has been sold twice and is now out of print, with title vested in The American Boy, a flourishing institution. Probably The Companion cheered the hearts of many young writers merely by buying their stories. But magazines change—so do juvenile readers—and what one generation cheers with enthusiasm another discards with joy. The American Boy is edited close to publication date and with the wishes of its readers thoroughly in mind. To-day, to survive, editors must be a part of their time.

Books and Things

NOW that the holiday season is in full swing and the perennial window problem is cropping up every day in every railway coach, some persons may derive advice and comfort from a new book by Hugh Scott, an English writer, entitled "Good Manners and Bad." (Benn, London, Eng.). Long-suffering men will find solace in this quotation from a chapter on good manners when traveling: "Ladies especially are very apt to assume that their particular wishes must necessarily be complied with, although they have not the slightest right to expect this. Nothing is more objectionable, indeed, than the behavior of the aggressive type of woman who comes into a carriage and immediately flings open the windows, or shuts them, as the case may be, without a word to anyone; and to resist such a nerveless selfishness is to perform a public service."

Mr. Scott recounts a story of an Englishwoman and a Frenchwoman, who could not agree on the ventilation question. "I shall be suffocated if they are closed," declared the Englishwoman. "I shall catch my death of cold if they are opened," replied the Frenchwoman. Whereupon a sardonic German gave voice to the general opinion by remarking, sotto voce, "Let us have them closed first and suffocate the Englishwoman, and then opened and kill the Frenchwoman; and then we shall have peace."

The author also deals with those who save a fair for high-sounding phrases. He tells a story current in London post office circles some years ago when the parcel post had just been introduced. "The drawing up of a regulation as to parcels containing flammable substances was being considered, and the story went that one of the older members of the staff, famous for his command of esopodan 'official' phraseology, suggested a rule to the effect that all goods of this nature must be 'enclosed in wrappings of a very elegant matter.' The effort was received with hilarious scorn as a real inspiration; but 'green-rod paper' was the term finally adopted."

FORTUNES left by authors and figures regarding the sale of their books are always interesting. It must have been a surprise to many that W. J. Locke, the popular British novelist who died recently, left only £24,500. For more than thirty years he had turned out, on an average, one book every twelve months. At least two of his plays had successful runs and recently he must have derived a fair income from film royalties. But, there are curious relationships between popularity and wealth to be found in the fortunes left by other novelists. Conrad made nearly as much money as Marie Corelli, and Meredith earned considerably more. Marie Corelli's will amounted to £24,000, Conrad left £20,000 and Meredith £22,000. Edna Lyall, who is not particularly well known, made more than £25,000 from "Hedrick's Bannister" alone. Mrs. Humphrey Ward netted £16,000. Dickens's fortune amounted to £20,000, Trollope's to £70,000 and Charles Garvice's to £71,000. The largest sum left by any English novelist was £99,408, the estate of Stanley Weyman, but it is believed that he inherited more of this amount. Victor Hugo, the celebrated Frenchman, died with three times that amount, and his was the largest literary fortune which has ever appeared.

BRITISH critics claim that "King Edward VII and His Court," recently published by John Murray, is the best book on King Edward which has been written. The author is Sir Lionel Cust, who died a short time ago. He was a close friend of the late king and for several years was Keeper of the King's Pictures. During the last twenty years of Queen Victoria's reign, the Prince of Wales did not have enough to do, and the best thing for him, according to Sir Lionel, "was hard work and social duty, for he could not bear solitude, even for a few minutes, and had no resources of his own, no private hobbies, no love of books with which he could occupy himself when off duty." The writer says that King Edward "was quite conscious that he was a very ordinary man with no particular excellencies in any one direction. Yet he has gone down to modern history as one of the most successful and popular monarchs of his day. Had Queen Victoria, in view of her advancing years, taken her

Despised Melodrama Of Good Old Days Is Respectable Now

WHEN I was a youngster at the turn of the century we used to speak with a flourish of contempt of melodrama, which was known as the ten-twenty-thirty, Harry Hansen writes in a fit of bookish blues. Already demoted, it still dealt with the underlying battle between rural and city life. The farmer's daughter was (almost) ruined by the city slicker and saved by the hero, who represented the best manhood. The latter was often in jeopardy, being tied to the rails or to a log truck before a circular saw by the villain. But in the end virtue triumphed.

The appetite for melodrama was universally despised. It was supposed to appeal only to louts and bums. The lovely word moron was not yet in use to designate the mentally underdone. Melodrama was played in theatres where men smoked, chewed peanuts and stamped their feet. Very likely they also removed their coats and displayed their suspenders and ballooning shirt sleeves. Those were the good old days when every shirt was a portable tent.

Those with brains read The Atlantic Monthly, Scribner's, Harper's and The Century, or found certain economic lessons in John Brien Walker's Cosmopolitan. Women with parasitical tendencies sat on the porch and read—historical novels, which they procured at the department store for \$1.19, or at the public library. Mr. Carnegie's philanthropy was generally deplored and men freely predicted that it would result in women neglecting their housework and forgetting their duties toward their husbands by dreaming about Ruyter's Hentau. Something like this has come to pass.

BUT WHAT I started on was melodrama. Its tone was generally regarded as vulgar and coarse. None of the best people attended it. They went to see James K. Hackett in "The Crisis," Anna Held in "The Little Duchess," Raymond Hitchcock in "The Yankee Consul." They watched Paderewski lift on hand high in the air and bring it down just the right note, then Mr. the other hand high in the air and bring it down on just the right note, then lift the other hand high in the air and bring it down on another note, then lift two hands and run them through his streaming hair.

It pleases me to recall my youth this lovely morning because I realize, by reading the new books and attending the movies, that I am now following melodrama with much vivacity, gasping for breath at its stirring situations, becoming hot under the collar at the impertinences of the villain. And I realize that all this material is something I once despised, and that everybody else around me, who now pays for the same sensations, despised in the same fashions.

In fact the public never seems to get enough of the crude, elemental, coarse and vulgar that is to be found in murder and crime. Here is another engaging book along that line—with the happy parlor title of "Rope, Knife and Chair." Written by Guy B. H. Logan and published by Duffield & Co., and containing, so the publishers tell me, "some of the strangest and most exciting murder cases of Europe and America." The line forms on the right, and please don't crowd.

WHAT SORT of murders are they? Well, here is the case of Jude Pomeroy, a schoolboy known in 1881 as the "white-eyed boy murderer of Boston." His specialty was to kill and mutilate boys and he is still alive—in prison. Then there is the case of John Lee, who was convicted of the murder of Emma Ann Whitehead, Kayes-in-Bababecore, a fishing village near Torquay, England. A woman with her skull beaten in with a hatchet, and the house set on fire. There is also the story of Belle Gunness, a commonplace woman living on an Indiana farm, who lured men to her place and killed them and either died in a fire or disappeared. There is a whole chapter on mass murders and murderers, as if an isolated experience were not enough. Fifteen chapters, each packed with details about the most horrible crimes, are packed out, heads bashed in, bodies put into tanks of acid, limbs mangled—"studied" each of them, done by the author because they interest him and may interest others. A handsome illustration of the electric chair, in profile, as a frontpiece. And the author saying, in extenuation for his book: "One can learn even from the perverted and wasted lives of great criminals. There but for the grace of God, goes . . ."

WE MUST be learning a great deal. For such a resume of horrors is not exceptional. It colors our fiction, it weaves into our motion pictures, it gets on the stage. The public reads with avidity about a murder, and the more coarse and brutal it is the more likely it is to capture attention. It makes me wonder about my strange hallucination as a boy that melodrama was coarse, vulgar and contemptuous. I apologize humbly to the lesser gods of drama. How thoroughly I misunderstood them!

What interests me is whether we are going to live in a world of crime or whether we will always have them with us. Is the present popularity of crime a release of appetites that can no longer be satiated in the normal way? The corner saloon must have taken up a great deal of the slack in its day; it is no more. What has made us, as a nation, become topers in melodrama? To-day the ten-twenty-thirty is innocuous parlor comedy beside the brutality that are retailed in books about criminals and crime, in fiction about murders, in motion pictures about gangsters and hijackers.

And the odd thing is that the old plays and books contained a moral, which we also despised. They taught us that honesty was the best policy, that deceit never pays, that the villain invariably comes to a bad end. To-day we have not even the solace of a righteous impulse. Our best heroes are crooks.

son into partnership, she would probably have found him zealous for work, loyally deferent to her authority, and a shrewd and useful successor to her husband as a private adviser on general politics. As it was, the best years of a man's life, say from forty to sixty, were, to a great extent, wasted, and King Edward came to the throne with a vitality debilitated by the years of waiting. To have reigned ten years longer would have been no advantage—might even have been a disaster. Had he reigned ten years earlier the face of European history might have been changed.

ANTHONY GIBBS, young member of that famous literary family, is writing a new novel, to be called "Hayday," which will probably be about 120,000 words in length. It will be published about January. Mr. Gibbs's father is Sir Philip Gibbs, and two of his uncles, Major Arthur Hamilton Gibbs and "Cosmo Hamilton," are well known writers. His aunt, Miss Hamilton Gibbs, published a first novel a year or two ago.

Book Leaders

Although A. Hamilton Gibbs's "Chances" is making the closest approach to best sellerdom, the novel of his wife, Jeannette Phillips Gibbs, "French Leave," is also on the list.

Best sellers for the week, according to the returns compiled by the trade across the country, are:

FICTION
CHANCES, by A. H. Gibbs.
THE YOUNG AND SECRET, by Alice Grant Roman.
SWEET MAN, by Gilmore Millen.
THE SCARAB MURDER CASE, by S. S. Van Dine.
THE SHEPHERD OF GUADALOUPE, by Zane Grey.
NIGHT NURSE, by Dora Macy.
NON-FICTION
THE STRANGE DEATH OF PRESIDENT HARDING, by G. B. Means and J. D. Thacker.
THE GREEN PASTURES, by Marc Connelly.
THE ADAMS FAMILY, by James T. Adams.
ROOSEVELT, STORY OF A FRIENDSHIP, by Owen Winter.
THE RAVEN, by Marquis James.

LIBRARY LEADERS

"Chances" is also leading the fiction department, the local lending libraries, according to the returns for the week, compiled by Librarian Edith Young at Hibben's Lending Library, which show the standing in the following order:

FICTION
CHANCES, by Hamilton Gibbs.
HIGH FENCES, by Grace Richmond.
ROGUE HERBIES, by Hugh Walpole.
MARGARET YORKE, by Kathleen Norris.
THE AUTOCRACY OF MR. PARHAM, by H. C. Wells.
NON-FICTION
STRANGE DEATH OF PRESIDENT HARDING, from the diary of Gaston Means.
IN SEARCH OF ENGLAND, by H. V. Morton.
IN SEARCH OF SCOTLAND, by H. V. Morton.
THE STORY OF PHILOSOPHY, by Will Durant.
MATA HARI, by Thomas Coulson.

Roger Babson Issues Book of Wisdom on Investing For Profit

NOW that nobody is trying to get rich overnight we may have time to do a little reading in "Investment Fundamentals," by Roger W. Babson, and thus discover just how close to the precipice we skirted in those dark and gloomy days of last November.

"Investment Fundamentals" is a sane, well-balanced explanation of how to invest your money to obtain safety and a fair return. Roger W. Babson has been at it some time, and his advice, in recent months, has been more right than wrong. For that reason his book is valuable. It refers often to Babson charts and Babson methods, but you can make allowance for the fact that Babson is naturally proud of a system that works.

His preachment is not for the professional trader, or the man with millions who has all the anchors to windward that he needs. It helps primarily the small investor. In some places Babson talks very much like Father used to, and in our present chastened state of mind we can agree that perhaps Father's advice still holds good. There was a belief about a year or two ago, when the bull market was in full swing, that even human nature had changed, but it hadn't.

CERTAIN aspects of investment are basic in the Babson programme. He thinks the bank account absolutely necessary. Then life insurance, which must be held inviolate. Third comes the home, which invariably brings security, even when it does not enhance greatly in value. After these have been satisfied the man with an income may begin to parcel out his cash—but never all in one place, and never for long. Babson does not preach buying and locking up securities until the day of doom. He believes in eternal vigilance, or good as well as promising investments.

This also makes him critical of margin accounts, which need too much watching to be profitable for the man of small means. Babson believes in study of every corporation in which the investor buys; knowledge of its earnings, its obligations and its prospects. And in more specific form he reiterates the old advice to buy when stocks are low and sell when they are high, which everybody hears but few want to follow.

It is this very condition—the reluctance on the part of the public to buy when everything looks dark and gloomy, as it does now, which makes stocks available to the shrewd investor. Babson does not say that this is the time to buy. But he pictures conditions very similar to those existing to-day. After a serious drop in the stock market, trading becomes restricted. Bonds yield fairly well. Yet this is the period of accumulation for the wise man. Stocks should be purchased outright now and put away.

With a period of rising prices many investors come back into the market. Every one begins buying and urging the investor to buy more. This, says Babson, is the real test of an investor's capacity. His period of distribution comes while every one is still buying. Then two important factors come in—self-mastery and self-discipline. With a rigid plan, the investor must adhere to his programme or he is lost. When every one begins to discover El Dorado the best claims have long been staked out.

RETURN OF THE MUFF

(From The St. Paul Pioneer Press)
The muff is coming back. A New York woman has appeared on the streets of Winnipeg, Manitoba, wearing one. Replying to cautious inquiry by a reporter she advised him that muffs are decreed by fashion for the coming winter. "They may mean little or nothing to the new generation, which regards muffs as relics of the time when women and men wore stays. But to the grey-haired man who remembers slipping his hand into his mother's muff for a momentary bit of warmth or comfort it will be like meeting an old friend. The muffs of those days were generous affairs and constituted a sort of furry mine for coins and bits of candy by those who had staked a claim. No picture of a skating girl was complete without a muff."

"Wooden Swords" Shows Us War In New Light

HERE is a counterbalance to the horrors of war in the new books—"Wooden Swords," by Jacques Deval, a French version of ludicrous events behind the front. Being French, it has nothing in common with the slapstick of Leonard Naason and other noly humorists. It is rather quiet fun, with a play on words and situation, and a relief from the noisy bragging of corporal, servants and buck privates.

"Wooden Swords" tells the story of a Frenchman who was put into the service of supply because he was near-sighted. What he accomplished in the way of errands, fetching and carrying, doing the work of a half-grown boy, because the Fatherland had called him to the colors, is highly amusing. "Good nature is no crime," says the author, meaning, I suppose, good humor likewise; hence this readable book.

The Literary Guild dispenses it as its July choice, thereby taking for granted that its readers are civilized folk, who will enjoy fun even when it has a touch of vulgarity. But "Wooden Swords" serves another function. It proves to us that all the fools and incompetents did not occupy awful chairs in the United States. It makes the whole world kin.

THAT was one of the first lessons I learned in the war in 1914. The incompetence and the carelessness in a perfect machine such as the Germans were supposed to have was startling. We have been excused for certain lapses on the ground that trade and not soldiering was our native occupation. But the Germans had no such excuse. They bragged loud and long about their military machine, and when the war started it in motion they walked beside it with resounding cheers, pointing to the way the wheels went round.

Yet in the first six months of the war it was possible in many occupied places for a civilian to pass from one army zone to another, from one hostile terrain to the other, without being molested. "And war correspondents were taken for granted. I suppose the most ludicrous event that ever happened to me—although it seemed quite natural at the time—occurred when a German officer supplied me with the details of an attack, naming every gun and regiment, and then advised me what road to take to reach the French position without difficulty."

In "Wooden Swords" there is a touch of that, too. Toward the last, when our near-sighted hero has been sent to the front to do typewriting, the great of the earth pass in review. The author sees Pierre Loti, who gets called down now and then by Franchet d'Espèrey; Mangin, Petain and Foch. Anyone who expects the writer to put into the picture certain headlines which go with their rank will be disappointed. Deval sees only the men.

"Mangin was playing with a little ball of moss with his toe, pushing it away from him, pursuing it and recapturing it. His head automatically followed the movements of the moss. A thick, heavy face, compressed between a solid jaw and a low forehead, a face as massive as a flat and as hard as a flat."

He sees Foch, "lean, slightly stooped, nose and ears long, his temples hollow, chewing the gray straw of his moustache, while his alert eyes danced under his brows"—as we used to see him at the peace conference. Deval catches one of his characteristics not often observed: "His right hand, in the pocket of his short coat, gripped like a rabbit on a leash."

THE MEN of the service of supply were not anxious to be dragged into the front lines. They seem to have been without illusions. Deval has a novel way of capitalizing their defects, as when he speaks of the volunteers who proceed to Rheims: "He had chosen six of us: one enteric, one myopia, one emphysema, two diarrhoeas of the liver and one gastralgia." Their lives had completely changed. No one could guess their civilian occupations from the serious work they now did, as at Vio: "All of these men had fallen into the habit of answering a bell like so many maids; two rings for the lieutenant in charge of maps; three rings for the captain in charge of correspondence. And their talk was backstairs gossip."

"Were we slackers?" asks Deval, and then tells how they fared; how this one died by a bomb and that one by typhoid, how this man was gassed and that one went insane. All part of the great upheaval of war, which tears men out of their normal occupations and makes them into fools, animals, superhumans, heroes.

Deval's "good nature" will make this book welcome reading for many who are tired of horrors that merely thrill us and get us nowhere. The humor is in the situation, and rarely forced. Sometimes it is plain soldier humor; as when the men discover that their provisions consist of a strip of salt herring wrapped around a cabbage leaf, has burst open and spread like creamed cabbage; sometimes it has to do with personal adventure, as when the hero takes his girl for a drive in a taxicab to Meudon and carries along a heavy piece of metal swabbed in grease and burlap—thereby ruining not only the afternoon but the spring dress which the young woman has worn for the occasion. And sometimes Deval takes little side trips into the essay, as when he tells what happens to roads that stray from the highway and come to a bad end—"dressed like lords in summer and beggars in winter they scamper up hills like boys climbing trees, and slide down the other side so recklessly that you are as likely as not to land at the bottom with broken bones." Altogether "Wooden Swords" has provided me with lively and profitable entertainment, and may do the same for you.

REFLECTIONS UPON REACHING THE AGE OF TWENTY-FIVE

I have a job; I have a hat. There's little time attached to that. Nor is it thrilling just to be Two years beyond odd twenty-three.

The girl I was at seventeen Would never stop to being seen About the town or on the drive With me, the dame of twenty-five.

At six I dealt in dirty faces; At seventeen in courtly graces.

At ten I strove for perfect health; At twenty I was all for wealth.

At twenty-one I took up men. But soon I put them down again.

At twenty-one I wanted fame; At twenty-three it was the same

Recanting of Witness May at Last Free Mooney

Resume of Famous Case Shows How Key Witness First Told Conflicting Stories at Two Trials and Now Says He Lied in Putting Mooney at Scene of Fatal Bombing

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 2.—The famous "Mooney case"—now, apparently, about to be disposed of forever by the reappearance of a deceptively little waiter named John MacDonald—has been a sensation for so long that it has become one of those things that are both familiar and unknown.

It is familiar, because Americans have talked about it for fourteen years. It is unknown, because the passage of time has brought forgetfulness of nearly all of its outstanding features. The average newspaper reader remembers that San Francisco had a Preparedness Day parade in 1916, that a bomb exploded in the midst of it and killed several people, and that two labor agitators named Tom Mooney and Warren K. Billings were convicted of planting the bomb and were sent to prison for life.

That is about the extent of general knowledge.

Now that MacDonald has come to the surface again it is considered highly probable that the two men will be freed. A resume of the famous case is consequently in order; for the importance of MacDonald in the scheme of things can hardly be understood without a complete picture of this sensational drama.

MISSING WITNESS FOUND

MacDonald was found in Baltimore after The Baltimore Post printed a picture of MacDonald. It became necessary to find him because Governor C. C. Young, in denying pardon to the two men, intimated that he would reopen the whole case if he could have a face-to-face talk with MacDonald.

Now he is going to have that talk; and if MacDonald repeats what he said in Baltimore, Mooney and Billings may soon be free men.

San Francisco's Preparedness Day parade, held on July 22, 1916, climaxed a decade of intense industrial and political strife, with numerous strikes.

When the parade was announced union labor characterized it as "an attempt to Prussianize America," and announced that it would boycott it.

The atmosphere became tense with class feeling, aggravated by labor troubles in which Mooney played a leading part.

Threatening notes had been sent to the mayor, union labor leaders and newspapers prior to the parade, warning them not to support the parade or march in it.

BOMB KILLS TEN, HURTS FORTY

At 2:06 p.m. on July 22, as the parade was passing up Market Street near Steuart, a bomb exploded on the sidewalk in a crowd of onlookers. Ten people were killed and forty were injured.

The outrage stirred the city. Rewards totaling \$17,500 were offered before nightfall.

Within four days the police arrested Mooney, Rena, his wife, Warren K. Billings, Ed Nolan, president-elect of a machinists' local, and a jitney bus driver named Israel Weinberg, a friend of Mooney's. All were held on charges of murder.

The prosecution declared that the five had ridden down Market Street in Weinberg's car from No. 721 Market Street; that Mooney and Billings got out at the corner of Steuart Street

carrying a suitcase containing the bomb; that they had put the suitcase on the sidewalk, got back in the car and disappeared.

MACDONALD AT SCENE

It was at this point that MacDonald entered the picture.

MacDonald had been standing in the crowd at Steuart and Market and had seen a man deposit the suitcase which, as later events proved, contained the bomb.

He went to the police. A little later the police announced that he had positively identified Mooney and Billings as the men who put the suitcase there.

Then police produced another witness, one F. C. Oxman, a solid-looking cattle rancher. Oxman also swore that he had seen the two men with the suitcase at that corner.

Billings went to trial first. MacDonald and Oxman gave their testimony. MacDonald, shifty and furtive-looking, was not an ideal witness; but Oxman was in appearance an intelligent, respectable citizen. The newspapers dubbed him "the honest cattleman," and the jury gave much weight to his testimony. Billings was convicted and sentenced to prison for life.

TELLS CONFLICTING STORIES

Now it becomes necessary to note a detail or two in MacDonald's testimony. At Billings's trial he told it as follows:

"I—MacDonald—was standing on Steuart Street. He saw Billings whisper with Mooney for a minute, and set down a suitcase. The two then went across Market Street and were lost to sight in the crowd. MacDonald thereupon turned and walked down Market Street. He had gone about eighty feet when the explosion occurred. Since the explosion occurred at 2:06 p.m., that fixed the appearance of Mooney and Billings at this street corner at 2:03, at the earliest.

Now note the next point. Mooney came to trial and sprang an almost perfect alibi. One Wade Hamilton, taken a snapshot on the roof of the



WHAT PRISON YEARS HAVE DONE TO MOONEY—Above are Tom Mooney and his wife, Rena, as they appeared about the time he entered the penitentiary in 1917, and below are the two as they appear to-day. This is Mooney's most recent photo. At the right is Mooney in prison garb, this picture having been taken about 1924.

Ellers Building, at 721 Market Street, more than a mile and a quarter from the scene of the explosion. It showed Tom and Rena Mooney standing on the roof, with other spectators, leaning over the edge to watch the parade—and a great clock across the street was in the picture, its hands pointing to the hour of 2:01.

It would have been humanly impossible for Mooney to have been at the street corner at the time alleged by MacDonald.

This picture, incidentally, did not come to light until after Billings's trial had been concluded.

MACDONALD CHANGES STORY

So, at the Mooney trial, MacDonald changed his story. He said that it was somewhere between 1:30 and 1:40 p.m. that he saw Billings and Mooney with the suitcase—which would give Mooney ample time to get back to the Ellers Building and be photographed there at 2:01. When Oxman corroborated this testimony, Mooney was convicted of first degree murder and sentenced to hang.

A storm of protest swept the country. Union labor took the conviction of Mooney as a direct blow at the cause of labor. The United States had just entered the war; union labor's co-operation was essential. President Woodrow Wilson investigated, and requested that Mooney's sentence be commuted, and the governor of California consented, changing it to life imprisonment. Mooney and Billings went to prison—and are there to-day.

Friends of the two men never gave up their fight. After long investigation they began to knock big holes in the state's case.

In 1921 they unearthed MacDonald in New York. There he said that he had lied at the trials of the two men. He had never seen either of them in his life, he said, until the police took him into the jail and pointed them out to him. He announced that he would come back and tell his story to a grand jury.

FEARED PERJURY CHARGE

But San Francisco authorities let it

be known that he would be prosecuted for perjury, and he disappeared again. Mooney and Billings stayed in prison.

Then Oxman's testimony was knocked out. It was proved that he was ninety miles from San Francisco at the time of the explosion.

Still it was impossible to win a new trial or a pardon for the two men. Rena Mooney, Nolan and Weinberg were released.

Friends of the prisoners kept on fighting. They marshaled their facts, pointing out that Oxman had been discredited, that MacDonald had admitted lying; the judge who retried the two men announced that he was convinced that they had been convicted by mistake. So did nine of the ten surviving jurors in the Mooney case. So did a San Francisco city detective who had helped get the evidence against them.

This spring a new attempt to free them was made. Governor Young announced his readiness to review the case. Billings had been in prison before, and under the law could not be pardoned unless the Supreme Court reviewed his case.

Its finding was a new disappointment. It pinned its faith on MacDonald's original story, adding Mooney and Billings, if they were innocent of the bombing, at least must have had some guilty knowledge of it. Governor Young followed this lead. He remarked that if MacDonald could be found, and would return to San Francisco to repeat his recantation, something might be done.

That looked hopeless. MacDonald had not been seen for nine years. The San Francisco News, however, offered a \$500 reward for his discovery. MacDonald's picture was broadcast over the country.

And then the miracle happened. MacDonald turned up in Baltimore, repeating his recantation and offering to return to San Francisco and tell it to Governor Young in person.

Connell Explores a Bit of Old Saanich

"In Thickets and in Brakes Entangled," Naturalist Tells of Tropical Undergrowth and of the Edge of the Peat-bog

By Robert Connell

Noted Island Naturalist

THE ROADS of Saanich when midsummer is past are for the most part bordered with the ripened grass and flowers of the cooler and milder months. The prevailing yellow is seen on closer inspection to be made up of many tints, for each species has its more or less distinctive color, and the scheme runs from a creamy white through gold and russet to purple-black. The leaves of the grasses form the background, but the seed vessels of both these and the wild flowers contribute to the roadside still more attractive elements. There are many plants, however, that retain their green leaves for a long time, and in those delightful portions of the road where the shade of trees and shrubs falls gratefully the verdancy of early summer may last until the first rains come.

These are, indeed, veritable "oases in the desert" to the traveler's eye, and the pity is that there are not more of them on the East Road. I can remember how in the days when a macadamized road was the maximum of highway engineering it was thought positively harmful to leave trees by the roadside, but experience showed that as it does now that on Island at any rate the best pieces of road run through the strips of old forest or advanced second-growth timber. There the fierce glare of the sun is obstructed and the highway surface is spared the desiccation and corrosion that in the open attend all materials but cement. Motorists and pedestrians alike appreciate the cool green of the forest wall and canopy and the brief respite from glare.

Looking over the long valley of Saanich between Cordova Bay and Saanichion one sees the broad-acre farms of the clay-lands, dark remnants of the old forest, and some time ago I told of one of the woodland stretches above the sea beyond. These are all bits of old Saanich that have survived the axe and plough, and it is possible that if one were to explore their recesses he might be rewarded with the discovery of plants long since vanished from the cleared lands and not native to the forested uplands.

"IN THICKETS AND IN BRAKES ENTANGLED"

The old Butler farm at Saanich, now broken up to some extent, lies along the northern end of the high ridge that terminates in Little Saanich Mountain or, to use its modern common-place title bestowed by the Geographical Board, Ob-

servatory Hill. From the ridge it falls away into the lowlands of the Sluggitt district, another area of rich clay-land. One of the Butlers very kindly took me out there the other day to see something of Old Saanich as it is preserved on his portion of the farm. Leaving the car near the weather-stained and picturesque farmhouse that stands just below the road, we turned off by a little-traveled path into the green coohies of the woods. Almost at the first step it was different from the highway with the great bare walls of the sand-pit. Several times I have rested there among the droll boulders of the excavation, out of sight and almost out of hearing of the motor traffic. Little did I imagine that scarcely more than a stone's throw away existed such dim dark forest recesses as these.

At first our way winds through woods where dogwood, clematis and maple hold their own with aggressive confifers. Then the real forest comes with giants of cedar and fir rising from the needle-and-needle-strewn floor with that peculiar impressiveness that only unbranched straight-shafted trees possess—the impressiveness of high bare cliffs—with something fascinating in its stark simplicity of design. On one of the trunks Mr. Butler points out the reddened surface of the bark where the slender hands of raccoons have worn its rough surface in their ascent and descent, and peering up into the branches far overhead one looks, though in vain, for sight of these dwellers in the trees, who yet may be watching us with their bright eyes.

The sense of being watched by the unseen forest folk I often have very strongly as I pass through their preserves. Where everything seems blankly devoid of life the feeling is more intense. The stillness that hangs over the woodland aisles is like the bated breathlessness of those who watch and wait. Instead of the world each sees from his own point of view with sight going out to other objects like the spokes from a wheel-hub, he is reflected in tiny brains and centres of consciousness. It gives a new meaning to Burns's

"O wad some Power the stilee gie us
To see oursel's as thersie see us."

If Robinson scarcely, if at all, realizes how he appears to Brown and Jones, how utterly must he fail to grasp the thousand and one images of him that are being registered as he goes through the forest wilderness. Outside where all is bustle and stir, the "shrill of the midsummer cricket" and the song of bird, and where the breeze plays freely among the leaves, one loses the sense of being an interloper. In the crowd of busy interests there seems to be no place for concentration of other consciousness upon him. It is the difference between city and country society. In the

city each goes about his own affairs indifferent to the doings of others, but in the country each is a centre of universal interest, friendly or critical. Thus some are more lonely in the great city than in the country because, perhaps, they prefer even the hostility of their neighbors to their indifference. Others, again, find country life intolerable, missing as they do the friendly protection of decaying vegetable and animal life, the thousands of careless eyes in the peering inquisitiveness of a few.

A TROPICAL UNDERGROWTH

To return to our path or rather trail, for it had not the permanence of the former, we are now come where the ground becomes increasingly damp and where the growth of underwood and herbage becomes proportionately denser. We stop by the side of one hollow where the lady-ferns make a fairland of soft and tender green. Their great leaf fronds rise in graceful curves, five, six, and even seven feet in the air. The same black soil, composed of decaying vegetable and animal life, that produces these lofty ferns bears glaucous yellow arums ("skunk cabbage" commonly called) or at least their leaves—for the bright flowers are long since replaced by the curious fruit-bowls of the spadix. One leaf taken at random stands six feet high from the base of the great leaf petiole to its tip. Here in this swampy hollow with its ferns and arums one is reminded of those ancient swamps in which plants allied to the former were the stature of forest trees. But there is a link with the present, too; for the arums, represented here by our yellow species, are "found almost exclusively in the Tropics, where they include numerous, often extremely grotesque forms, which have not infrequently a gigantic size and constitute a very large part of the herbaceous flora of the primitive forests." The arums are closely related to the palms, coconut, date, and oil, among others, and this again gives them an exotic touch, as a relative in Canada or Australia used to do to a villager in the Old Land. The unpleasant odor associated with our plant is a character of the family to which it belongs; many of the members have flowers other than white in color, and these appear to become objectionable, as they range through yellow and brown to purple.

The starchy inflorescences of the three-leaved false hellebore are among the few flowers still blooming in these forest depths, but the whorled leaves of the chickweed-wintergreen, and the trillium are there. But past these we go as the trail fades off into the wilderness of green where ferns and salmonberry join hands above the swampy, as if to resist so rude an invasion of their demesne. As the soft green stems break

before us the air is filled with that scent of swiftly-growing cells we find in many plants, but especially in the softer ferns and which is not unwholly unknown on our tables in the tempting cucumber and its melon cousins.

But if the brightness of the flowers is almost gone from the woods we are not left wholly to the scent of broken fern. The twisted stock with its pointed leaves, faintly whitened beneath and closely clasping the slender wiry stems, hangs from the underside its oval scarlet fruit. In spite of its habitat here in this alluvial swamp not far removed from the Pacific Ocean this species of twisted-stalk is found in far-off Europe, though not in the British Isles, while on this continent it is confined to our northwest coast. And every now and then we come on the coral-like berries of the red huckleberry or wineberry whose ridged stems and soft leaves are in color as tenderly green as any fern of the woods.

ON THE EDGE OF THE PEAT-BOG

We have been following the side of a dark ditch cut long ago through the woodland soil and now partly overgrown so that the sides look like heavy eyebrows over black liquid eyes. It is very dark down there and only occasionally is a reflection caught on the surface. By-and-by it brings us out on the edge of a space devoid of timber but densely covered with thickets of willow and hardhack. The axe has been at work, at least in cutting the rank growth of "scrub," and on the cleared space at the edge the fireweed, rose bay, or willow-herb grows luxuriantly, while its little cousin, the small-flowered willow-herb, displays its pale purplish bloom. Here the Labrador tea, creeping out from the central thickets with its aromatic leaves clothed beneath with "golden-brown fur." Habenarias or rein-orchids, white-flowered and scented, lift their tall spikes among the grasses.

Our trail runs through open wood where the ground is carpeted with the shining leaves of pyrola, or wintergreen, and where in the thicket little dark purple fruits are borne on the glaucous stems of the black-cap raspberry. Then a turn and we are out on the side of a little garden won from the bog-land, where a rich growth of "kitchen-stuff" displays itself among the wild surroundings. The minute yellow flowers and undivided, toothed leaves of the treacle-mustard with its upward-spreading square-edged seed-pods grows in the open soil, and by the fences the starchy hairy, or indeed bristly, aspidistra with tiny yellow forget-me-not-like blossoms. It is not uncommon to find the coarsest-growing plants with insignificant flowers, as if they needed not to waste their strength on such frivolities.

Under a group of trees the axe has spared, not

large but affording a pleasant shade, we rest on a mat of withered and dead sphagnum moss. It must be some years since the sphagnum grew here with the cold bog-water creeping up its white and pale green stems. Then, the sun-dew would spread its ruby-tipped glands over its treacherous leaves and open in all innocence of appearance its little raceme of white flowers. The bog-cranberry doubtless sent out its thin and wiry stems across the sphagnum-covered surface, raising little spreading bells of red above its small evergreen leaves, and later brightening the bog with scarlet fruit. The air was probably full of the aroma of Labrador tea and the rosy wheels of kalmia or swamp-laurel made the bog-land gay when May was drawing to a close. But now the peat moss is dead beneath our trees and the garden herbs reign where the bog plants grew.

HUMAN INFLUENCE AND NATURE

Here as elsewhere on the Island we see the drying up of the land since the arrival of the white man with his agriculture and logging. Modern Saanich only bears a general resemblance to the old. The cutting down of the forests and the draining of the bottom lands has worked a change of great magnitude. We see something of the nature of this change in other countries. In Scotland, for example, the ancient forests have in well-attested instances been replaced by peat-bogs or "mosses." Archibald Geikie tells us in his "Scenery of Scotland" how "the Moss of Kincardine, in the upper part of the valley of the Forth, owes its existence, at least in one place, to the fact that the thick oak forest which once covered its site was felled by man. Below the moss the stumps and trunks of large trees were found crowded as thickly upon the clay as they could be supposed to have grown there. The roots were still fixed in the clay as when the trees were tall in life, and the stems had been cut down at a height of about two and a half feet from the ground. Marks of a narrow axe were sometimes traced on the lower ends of the logs, completing the proof that the wood had been cleared by human agency. Here we see how a district of fur woodland—the home doubtless of many a stag and hind, and the nesting-place of many a cushat dove and blackbird—has been turned by man into a waste of barren morass and mire—a place of shaking bog and stunted heath, where he cannot build his dwelling nor plant his crops, and from which he can extract nothing save fuel for his hearth."

With us here conditions are very different climatically. In Ross-shire peat on the site of an old forest has been known to be ready for digging in less than fifty years. Our difficulty is in the opposite direction. Drought rather than excessive

humidity is our real danger. The wholesale destruction of our forests whether by axe or fire, or the combination of both is a very serious thing in a climate which under the most favorable circumstances is still of a distinctly Mediterranean type: a rainy winter and a dry summer. With the disappearance of the forests the winds sweep across the surface of the land and the moisture that might have been conserved by the cool and shaded woods disappears as if by magic. It is a commonplace of common sense that the drainage that it is not so much the absence of rain that matters in the summer as the prevalence of winds.

Still another important influence exercised by man is found in his drainage of the country. Many of the peculiarities of the wild scene are due to the eccentricities of natural methods. Lakes are thus formed, and such swamps and boggy places as the one we have been visiting on the Butler farm are often due to obstructions in the normal course of things. It will be remembered that to the south lies a gravel-pit. This is opened in a ridge of inter-glacial sands and gravels which has definitely affected the drainage in such a way that it has formed a swampy area about its northern end. This is a common phenomenon in glaciated regions, and Beete Jukes states that the eskers or drift ridges of the Irish plains are "often associated with bogs" which appear to have been caused by the eskers "having at one time retarded the drainage of the country, the superfluous water soaking through the porous base of the esker instead of making a regular brook or river channel for itself to run off by." Precisely this appears to have occurred in our Saanich example.

This suggests how the cutting of timber and the drainage of the land may lessen the effect of such rain as we get. Instead of the sponge-like absorbency of the forested land and the widespread diffusion in the swampy basins and broad flat valleys, we now have definite water-courses which carry the water quickly away, but which on the other hand may become blocked by fallen timber or other debris and thus flood the drained lands or destructively with the backed-up water. Nevertheless the drainage of the land is a good and necessary thing in some soils; in others it is more important to conserve moisture than to remove. Sub-irrigation is the antithesis to drainage, and Nature practices it in her own way. Blocked, it may result in a bog, which in turn under drainage and cultivation will give some of the finest garden land. In England the reclaimed peaty soils of Cheshire, Lancashire, and the Fen country are great potato-growing areas. Our Chinese gardeners have been quick to grasp the value of similar areas here.

THIS NEW MOVIE STAR IS MAN OF WIDE OPEN SPACES

By DAN THOMAS

George O'Brien again is a man of the wide open spaces—and therein lies a story. Nearly every milestone in his short but brilliant career is the result of his love for an unlimited supply of coons. Thus in itself seems strange in view of the fact that he was born and spent the war's "toughest" city, San Francisco. When in school George's interest centered chiefly in athletics. Classroom bored him but he never tired of playing football, baseball, boxing, riding and roping. When the United States entered the World War he enlisted in the navy so that the seven seas would be his battlefield. It really was his dislike of confining walls that led him into the film racket.



George's father wanted him to be a physician but in contemplating such a career he could think only of odor-filled hospitals and a stuffy office. Just about that time Tom Mix set up a loosey camp near Santa Clara, Calif., where George was attending college. The youth went out, looked things over and immediately decided to become a movie cameraman. That outdoor stuff appealed to him and he knew nothing of the days spent under the sweltering lights of a studio set.

For four months he lugged a heavy camera around and never once had a chance to turn a crank. But before he had time to reach the quitting point he was picked for one of the leading roles in "The Iron Horse." As most of

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A PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Fashions, Fads, Fancies and Home Life



STYLES BY THE HOUR—FOR A SUMMER WEEK-END

Here's a Smart Pictorial Wardrobe for Miss to Choose From If She Would Be the Chic Guest



OFF THE TRAIN—with the week-end still ahead! Here is the picture of chic which might greet her hosts when Miss Modish arrives on the scene in the height of spirits and style. Correct in every detail will she be if she has chosen this sheer wool crepe suit, in black and yellow, with dainty hand-made vest of white roman, chic hat of yellow and black rough straw and unusually smart accessories. First she will meet the other guests and then she'll get—



IN THE FASHION SWIM! Undoubtedly Miss Modish will prefer a bathing suit she can swim in comfortably, sun in effectively, and look grand in—or out of the water. Take a look at this new black and white suit with a neck-band that slips over the head, leaving the back to tan. There's a feminine little yoke effect of black and white, slenderizing stripes up the front and back of the cute shorts that button on. When she emerges from the water, Miss Modish's feminine charm will be heightened by a beach cape of gleaming white terry cloth, with her personal monogram done in modernistic manner in black. With black and white clogs, she'll be perfectly attired for the last hour on the beach before dinner, and of course just in the mood for enjoying a cooling beverage. She must allow herself plenty of time, however, for a little rest and a perfect grooming for dinner and the dance that follows. For these she'll be—



GLAMOROUSLY GOWNED. For it's smart to be romantic of evenings, and in keeping with this modern trend is the lovely ensemble pictured above—a soft beige outfit. The gown has the latest little waist-peplum-trill; below a sweet sash of crushed rose velvet. There is a spiral low peplum and the skirt flares from the knees to full length in front and on the sides and trains regally in the back. Though she's certain to have been the cynosure of all eyes, Miss Modish mustn't neglect, next morning, to be—



CHIC AT BREAKFAST. This smartly tailored pyjama suit of rich broadened silk will declare Miss Modish to be the modern that she is and will crystallize her fresh morning appearance. Soft green is an excellent color that's easy on the eyes and it fits well into the veranda background where buffet breakfast is served. There is a sleeveless tuck-in blouse, trousers that flatter the slender hips and flare to comfortable width, and a coat of the new length.

Sheer Fabrics and Fur Enhance Afternoon Clothes

Frail Frocks for Summer Days Have Longer Skirts and Greater Fullness

By ROSETTE

Paris, Aug. 2.—The formality of afternoon clothes are enhanced this summer by the sheerness of fabrics employed and by the addition of fur trimming.

The georgette ensemble and the mousseline de sole suit will grace the racecourse and formal afternoon functions, but while figured chiffon in a variety of exquisite designs represents the very latest in prints, only plain georgette can be considered as really smart.

There is something of the spirit of summer in these frail fabrics and all the couturiers have stressed the use of them for summer days. They have sponsored rather longer skirts than for those made in heavier material and also more fullness, but the waistline remains the same. The note of fantasy is introduced in the sleeves. The new elbow length is featured a great deal as well as the three-quarter sleeve, which some of the dresses of these afternoon ensembles have no sleeves at all, thus enabling the wearer to go on from a race-meeting to a cocktail party and then, if the occasion arises, to an informal dinner party at a smart restaurant. Other dresses have long, rather tight sleeves with a sleeveless jacket.

VARIETY IN CUTS

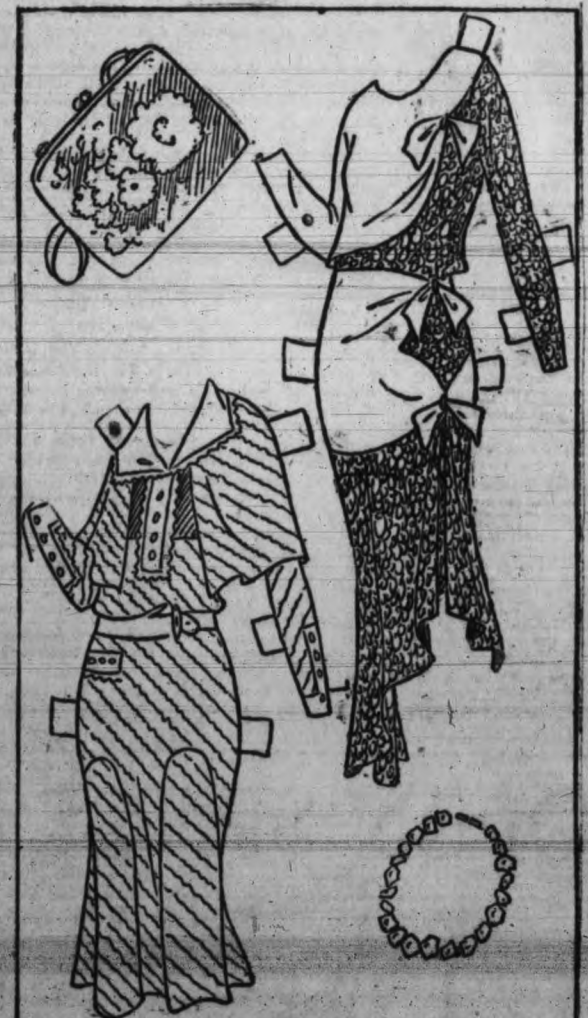
The length and cut of the wraps of these very light ensembles vary from the three-quarter length, straight coat to hip-length capes, with some coats showing tribaques effects or a depth of accordion-pleated trimming at the hem to ensure the set of the garment. Fur is also used to this end, fox being the most popular and most effective. Sometimes it trims the hem in a basque effect, longer at the back and the sleeves, leaving the collar bare. Monkey fur, usually black and combined with black or grey has been revived by Patou, who considers it a good summer fur. Skimpiness is to be avoided at all costs, however, when using this pelt, and he has coats with a band as wide as ten inches of monkey fur outlining hem and cuffs.

With these ultra-feminine ensembles none other but the near-Western hats have been shown by all the leading modistes should be worn. The close-fitting turban shape has already been ousted by the new "mari-fold" forms, but the smart Parisienne is seen wearing moderate brimmed hats which augurs well for the old-fashioned picture hat as a complement to the summer ensemble. Some discrimination is necessary in this respect, as in respect to all matters of with too wide a brim.



Smart for formal afternoons are these costumes from Paris. Left: A formal afternoon ensemble of azure blue georgette, created by Lucien Lelong, is bordered with black fox. Right: Navy blue is a "dressy" color this season, as illustrated by the navy crepe de Chine of a formal afternoon coat from Louboulanger. The coat is trimmed with beige fox.

Here's How to Dress "Boots" For Shopping or a Party



My, oh, my! Don't you think "Boots" used fine judgment when she picked out these two dresses? Or maybe you can't decide until you try them on her. Just cut the dresses out and try them on the figure of "Boots" we gave you last week. This little smart character of the famous comic strip "Boots and Her Buddies" is very glad to have you help her try out her new wardrobe. Two more dresses for "Boots" will appear soon. Save them all—and what a fine set of paper dolls you'll have. If you have some crayons you can color the dresses.

SMALL-TOWN GIRL WHO MADE GOOD

From Town of One Hundred Population, She Made \$3,000,000 in Ten Years in Texas Oil Fields

THE small-town boy who went forth to conquer the world and came home rolling in wealth has nothing at all on Miss Ann B. Gordon.

Her story reads like one penned by Horatio Alger only, in this case, the hero is a girl instead of a boy, and it has been fact, not fiction.

Ten years ago Miss Gordon set forth from the diminutive town of Flat Creek, Tenn., to see what she could do in the way of making a fortune.

To-day she is president of her own oil company, has a fortune worth at least \$3,000,000 and holds oil lands and leases that promise to make a good deal more than this for her in the next few years.

"The Royalty Queen of Texas," as she is called, has just returned from a visit to the old home town. Flat Creek, which has just about 100 inhabitants, turned out en masse to greet her. There was a family reunion, with her father and mother, three brothers and four sisters joining in, and a big time was had by everyone. Now Miss Gordon is back at work, ready to push the job of turning oil leases into cash.

GREW UP AS FARM GIRL, TURNED TO REALTY AND OIL

Miss Gordon grew up in Flat Creek as a farm girl, one of the seven children of Colonel and Mrs. R. D. Gordon. Her first venture into the business world was as a real estate dealer. The real estate game in a town that is small is never very exciting, and in 1920 she decided to go farther afield and see what she could do. She came to Texas, and opened a real estate office here. The post-war real estate boom was on and her business prospered.

Then she began to notice the vast sums of money that were being made in the oil fields. She made a care-



Ann Gordon is shown in a closeup and, below, among some of her oil wells in the "downtown section" of Van, Texas.

ful study of the situation, and finally invested \$30,000 that her real estate deals had made here in the great Van oil field.

In a sort time this investment was proved a wise one. Ten oil wells have been brought in, producing from 10,000 to 15,000 barrels of oil daily. And there are yet sixty more locations to be drilled on her property in the near future.

She has also organized the Ann B. Gordon Oil Co., Inc., and directs all of its activities as its president. In addition, she has taken a forty acre lease in Brown county and has brought in six producing wells on it.

Miss Gordon does not talk much about her success. When she is with close friends, however, she is fond of telling of some of the freakish incidents that have marked her business career.

HAS BOTH PROFITED AND LOST IN UNUSUAL DEALS

Once, when she was still in the real estate business, she closed a deal and counted on a large commission. To her disappointment, however, she was unable to collect it, and in the end had to be satisfied with a collection of second-hand furniture. She had no earthly use for it, but she took it because it seemed slightly better than nothing at all. Some time later she disposed of it by exchanging it for a lease on a section of almost worthless land in West Texas; and when a prospective purchaser appeared she gladly sold the lease for a dollar an acre. Then, later on, she discovered that the land held oil and that she could have realized \$64,000 for her lease.

That's one of her anecdotes. It represents one of the few occasions when she lost out on a deal. To balance it, there is the story of the time when she took a lease on a section of land in New Mexico as her commission on a real estate deal. The land was not

For Wearin' On the Green



The long-sleeved polo shirt, made of Nile green washable chambray, is the new slip-on that smart women wear for golf, polo, flying and outdoor sports in general. This one has four buttons that can be fastened at the throat and a belt that buckles after the shirt is pulled down over the hips and bloused slightly above the belt. A belt to match the chambray is the jaunty new kind that has perky corners to its cut. For golf, ventilated gloves are best for hot summer days.

supposed to be worth much but she held on to it; recently a 9,000-barrel well was brought in near her holdings, and her land has become worth a big sum. She has not said it, but is planning to drill it herself as soon as she finishes developing her other holdings.

Miss Gordon's home-coming was

made a great occasion by the townspeople of Flat Creek. The town turned out to greet her and made of her visit one of the big events in its history.

"Miss Ann" as she is familiarly known, has never married—all her life she has been too busy with business affairs to worry about love.

Across Savage Peaks to the Pacific

The Heroic Advance of Lewis and Clark Up the Stormy Waters of the Missouri, Across the Rockies, Down the Raging Columbia to the Sea

By GEORGE CREEL

Illustrated by ARMSTRONG SPERRY

An Indian Girl Leads the Way—Menace of Beast and Storm—Their Fate in Sacajawea's Hands—Jagged Peaks and Whirling Currents—Their Goal at Last—Homeward Bound—Rich Rewards.

EDITOR'S NOTE:—Last Friday was the 160th anniversary of the birth of William Clark, who with Meriwether Lewis led the famous expedition that opened the wide expanse of the West to settlement and confirmed the title of the United States to the territory now occupied by Washington and Oregon.

George Creel, who gives you here the stirring details of that 4,000-mile journey through the terrors of the wilderness, is widely known for his distinguished writings, and was, during the World War, the Chairman of the Committee on Public Information.

FATE, that incurable romanticist, never staged a more dramatic effect than when she yoked the mighty Corsican and a humble Shoshone squaw in the service of America's destiny. Napoleon forced the Louisiana Purchase, and Sacajawea, the Bird Woman, helped to write title to the Oregon territory in the blood that dripped from her rock-torn feet.

Few historians sing the glory of this obscure Indian girl, yet with a two-months-old baby at her breast she led Lewis and Clark up the wild reaches of the Missouri and over saw-toothed ranges; when the white captains wandered hopelessly amid enormities of granite her unerring instinct found a way; when hostile Indians gathered to dispute the march of the staggering band, it was Sacajawea that trudged forward, holding her papoose high in token of peace and friendship; at a time when starvation threatened she took from tattered buckskins the store of food she had saved from her own pitiful ration.

The bond between Napoleon and the Bird Woman was forged on an April morning in 1803 when Robert Livingston and James Monroe faced France's ministers and offered two million dollars for New Orleans and West Florida that the United States might control the Mississippi's mouth. Even as they bargained the First Consul intervened with one of his characteristic bursts of decision.

"It is the whole of Louisiana you must buy," he said. "That or nothing."

On the verge of war with England, he knew that he could not expect to hold his American possessions against the power of Great Britain's navy; far better to sell them, gaining much needed funds and at the same time strengthening a friendly nation. Livingston and Monroe, acting entirely on their own responsibility, made the purchase, paying fifteen million dollars for the vast stretch of which we have carved Arkansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Oklahoma, Minnesota and nearly all of Louisiana, Kansas, Wyoming, Montana and Colorado.

IN AN INDIAN VILLAGE

The scene changes from the Tuilleries to an Indian village on the banks of the Missouri in what is now North Dakota. The Minnetarees, sweeping across the Montana plains some five years before, had killed and raided most successfully, and among the captives carried home was a little Shoshone girl. Well was she named Sacajawea, the Bird Woman—soft and round and sweet-voiced as any thrush—and Toussaint Charbonneau, a French trapper, bought her for a wife. Thus was her life whirled about in order to play its part in the great American drama.

To this village in the fall of 1804, came Meriwether Lewis and William Clark, leading an expedition for the exploration of the unknown land. One was Thomas, Jefferson's private secretary and the other a worthy

brother of George Rogers Clark, and the forty-three men in their company had been picked for youth, strength and proved courage. They had set out from the Mississippi in May, as careless of hardship as of danger; poling and towing their three small boats against the Missouri's current, depending on their rifles for their food, gay and confident as though they sailed a summer lake instead of entering a strange and menacing country thick with peril.

Kaws, Otoes, Missouris, Sioux and Kickapoo—these Indians had let them pass in peace, either won by presents or cowed by the shaggy young pathfinders—and now Mandans, Abnaways and Minnetarees held out the hand of friendship. Winter quarters were pitched in a great cottonwood grove, warm huts built; buffalo humps and juicy elk steaks repaired the ravages of the 1,600-mile river journey, and of spring's coming found every man fat and strong as herd bulls. Thirteen went back to civilization from the Mandan villages, taking a boatload of specimens, trophies and various exhibits, but the addition of Sacajawea more than compensated for the loss.

LED BY SCAJAWEA'S COURAGE

Neither captain had precedence that she would prove their salvation time and again and that to the Bird Woman, more than all others, they would owe their chance to sail down the broad Columbia to the Pacific, carrying their names in the marble of history. When Charbonneau, hired as an interpreter, announced that he meant to take his wife, Lewis and Clark feared that she could not stand the journey, so frail she seemed, and with a mite of a baby pulling at her breasts. Yet when steel-framed frontiersmen sank down in utter exhaustion, it was Sacajawea that would carry on.

The plains were thick with buffalo and elk, and great fish leaped high above the water as the pathfinders set forth again, eager for sight of the Shining Mountains that lay before them. Rowing sometimes, but poling and towing for the most part, they passed the Bad Lands, went by the mouth of the Yellowstone and came to a river that they called the Milk, because of its white flow. With the rare good fortune that was to mark the expedition, not an Indian was seen, but grizzly bears prevented anything approaching boredom.

Hunters, walking the banks, took wild dives into the river to escape the ferocious beasts; the monsters attacked the night camps and even swam out to charge the boats, and such was their strength that one huge brute had eight balls through his body before falling dead at Lewis's very feet. Storms were no less a menace, flinging the little canoes like chips.

INCREASING DANGERS

They were now in a land that not even the most daring trapper had ever visited, and each new day increased their difficulties. The many forks of the river, the size of the tributary streams, brought doubts as to their course, and, forced wearisome,

dangerous explorations. Portages became more and more frequent, and as the men toiled over rocky stretches their way was thick with hissing, striking rattlesnakes. In one crowded day Lewis was charged by buffalo bulls in the forenoon, chased by a grizzly in the afternoon, only escaping by a leap into the river, and then waked the next morning to find a rattler coiled at his head.

Not until Lewis, scouting alone, came to the Great Falls on June 13, was he certain that they had held to the true Missouri. A great cheer must have burst from the voyagers as they saw the long sweep of majestic cascades, but their admiration was short-lived, for a seventeen-mile portage had to be made. Rude frames, mounted on wheels cut from tree trunks, eased the burden of the canoes in some degree, but each of the thirteen days was still a horror of drudgery and suffering.

Even as the naked, sweating men fainted under a burning sun, a sudden storm would scourge them with hailstones; the prickly pears tore their feet into bleeding ribbons; every thicket seemed to vomit roaring grizzlies and as they trudged a dry creek bed some cloudburst would turn it into a mill race. Once Sacajawea, encumbered by her baby, was saved from death by Clark's strong hand, the water tearing at her waist as he dragged her to a higher shelf.

Building additional canoes, the journey was resumed, every mile a fiercer fight against rocks and whirlpools; on through the Gates of the Rockies, that Cyclopean gorge where the Missouri tears its way through the mountain wall, pole and towline now in constant use. The men at the ropes could not walk the banks, covered by dense thickets, and stumbled along in the water, slipping, falling.

FATE HANGS IN THE BALANCE

All were more dead than alive when they reached the Three Forks, where the Jefferson, Madison and Gallatin (so named by Lewis and Clark) unite to form the Missouri. Here it was that Sacajawea had been captured by the Minnetarees, and here, too, was the hunting ground not only of the Shoshones, but also of the Crows, the Flatheads and the savage Blackfeet. Which tribe would be the first to see them, and what would be its attitude? These were tremendous questions.

Heavy with life and death, for everything depended upon Indian friendship. Canoes were no longer to be relied upon; they must have horses for the conquest of the mountains that rose before them; more than that,

they stood in need of guides and food.

Lewis, taking command of a vanguard, swung wide and wider circles in desperate search of Indians, fiercely eager to put an end to suspense, but it was not until August 13, far up the Jefferson, that he came face to face with a hunting party. With the expedition's usual amazing luck, it was Shoshones that he met up with, not Blackfeet. Even so, the Indians were suspicious rather than friendly, and not until Clark arrived with the rest of the party did Lewis know whether it was to be peace or war. Sacajawea ended uncertainty, for Cameahwait, the Shoshone chief, proved to be her brother, and she soon inspired him with her own devotion to the white men.

It was this one turn of fortune that decided the fate of the Lewis and Clark adventure. The Shoshones gave them food and horses, without which the starving, footsore men would have had to confess defeat—aid that would not have been forthcoming but for the Bird Woman. And as the expedition reached the Bitterroot Valley—staggering with exhaustion—it was Sacajawea that gained the friendship of the Flatheads. More horses were secured from these Indians, and on September 11, the two captains were face to face with the stark menace of the Bitterroot Range.

A GHOSTLY MOUNTAIN MARCH

Not in all the annals of human fortitude is there a more inspiring record than this mountain march of Lewis and Clark. Storms beat upon them, and the cold froze to the marrow; now they crawled sheer cliff sides, sinking their bleeding fingers into crevices, and now they climbed savage peaks where a false step meant death; they ate half-cooked horse meat; dysentery weakened them; there were times when they gave themselves up as lost, and when they came at last to the plains it was with the sobbing relief of men who wake from some ghastly nightmare.

Nez Perces were camped in the pleasant Kamas prairie, and soft-voiced Sacajawea convinced them that the white men came as friends. As though they were blood brothers, the Indians fed and nursed the emaciated Americans and guided them to the Clearwater that offered plain way to the Pacific. Rude canoes were fashioned, and on October 7 the pathfinders began the last leg of their long journey. They were soon to find that all was not the easy sailing that had been imagined, for frequent portages took heavy toll of strength, and the utter absence of game forced them to live on dogs that

they bought from Indian tribes along the shore.

DOWN RAGING WATERS TO THE SEA

From the falls to the Dalles, the Columbia boils through a vast lava bed, frowning palisades narrowing the river and great fragments blocking and tormenting the channel. A long hard portage won past the falls, but cliffs made this impossible at the Dalles, and with despairing bravery the captains gave their canoes to the rapids, "notwithstanding the horrid appearance of this agitated gut, swelling, boiling and whirling in every direction." The Indians, gathering to watch what seemed madness, gave a shout as the last boat reached smooth water in safety, greeting it as a sign that the white men were in the care of some Great Spirit. Another drudging portage past the Cascades, and at last the voyagers were on the full bosom of the mighty stream.

Entering the river's mouth, sea winds and waves tossed the frail canoes until it seemed that all must perish; for six days they huddled in the rain waiting round a point, and it was not until November 15 that they rowed past the future site of Astoria and, after further wandering, pitched their winter quarters on a cliff among the pines. Well were they entitled

to rest their weary bones after a journey of 4,135 miles, the Homeric march that opened the half of a continent to settlement and added two stars to the flag. Captain Robert Gray had discovered the Columbia in 1792, naming it after his ship, but it was Lewis and Clark's expeditions that confirmed title to the territory out of which was shaped Washington and Oregon. Sacajawea, to whom so much of the credit was due, asked but one favor; she begged to be taken down to the ocean shore that she might see the great "Everywhere-salt-water."

A PERILOUS RETURN

Instead of rest, however, drudgery and suffering pressed still more heavily on the expedition. The rain came down in torrents; game spoiled before the exhausted hunters could get it back to camp, salt boiling was a slow, laborious process, and by the time the two captains finished their various scientific observations in late March, the sickening men were without food and also stripped bare of everything that could be used in barter. Captain Lewis parted with his uniform to secure a necessary canoe, and as the company started on its homeward journey they resembled traveling mountebanks more than the heroic vanguard of civilization. Slowly, wretchedly, they

ascended the Columbia, portaging past cascades, Dalles and falls, and in May came again to the lovely Kamas plain, where old Chief Twisted Hair and his Nez Perces waited with their horses. June found the expedition aflame with impatience and, despite the warning of the Indians, the pathfinders marched away to the pass that led across the Bitterroot Range. All too late they realized that Twisted Hair had been right; snow choked the trails, storms froze and blinded them, and it was only "Lewis and Clark luck" that let them regain the shelter of the Nez Perce camp instead of perishing in the mountains. Even when they set out again, the snow was still deep enough to make every mile a peril, but at last they crossed over and stumbled down into the Missoula plain.

THE EXPEDITION DIVIDED

Here the expedition made its first important division; for time pressed and there was still much to do. Lewis, with nine men, was to strike out on a straight line for the Great Falls of the Missouri, proceeding from that point to the headwaters of Maria's River. Clark and his party were to go down the Jefferson to the Three Forks and then on to the Yellowstone for an exploration of that unknown stream.

Lewis, crossing the Divide, reached the Great Falls without mishap and, leaving six men to prepare the portage, started up Maria's River with only Dwyer and the two Fields brothers. Through a barren land, thick with savages, the four rode on—eating the grease pressed from tainted meat—only turning back at a point not far below the present Canadian line. Now luck deserted them, for out of the hills rode a war party of Blackfeet, cruel and treacherous. There was much specious talk all day and long into the night but the white men were not thrown off their guard, and when the Indians snatched at their rifles in the early dawn, indomitable Reuben Fields stabbed one to the heart and Lewis shot another through the belly.

The Blackfeet fled to summon the rest of the tribe, and Lewis and his men, leaping to their horses, rode for their lives. Halting only when sheer exhaustion commanded, they covered 112 miles in twenty-four hours, and joining the portage party, were off down the Missouri that very day. They reached the Yellowstone on August 7.

Clark's journey was without dramatic incident. Guided by the unfailing Sacajawea, he crossed the Great Divide, followed the Jefferson to the Three Forks, and with the silent little Bird Woman still leading, climbed over the pass to which

Bozeman's name has been unjustly given, and came to the Yellowstone. At his right hand, within easy distance, were all those wonders now embraced in the National Park, but he did not turn, and the glory of that discovery was left to humble John Colter.

COLTER'S HAIR-RAISING ADVENTURE

Colter, a wild Kentuckian, pupil of Boone and Kenton, fell in love with the Montana country and, when the Mandan villages were reached, took the back trail, despite the remonstrances of his captains. Trapping the wilderness streams with as much unconcern as though he walked a city street, he followed the Yellowstone to its headwaters, and was the first white man to rest startled eyes on that region of marvels. Again, while wandering with another rover by the name of Potts, the incredible Colter figured in a tremendous adventure that has all the color and appeal of some Norse saga.

As they pushed their canoe along a fork of the Jefferson, Blackfeet swarmed on the cliffs above them and gave the sign to pull to shore. Seeing the impossibility of resistance, Colter stepped out and surrendered; but Potts, preferring death to torture, fired his rifle into the huddle of Indians. On the instant a flight of arrows pierced him—"he was made a riddle of," reported Colter—and the stream took his body.

A DESPERATE RACE FOR LIFE

As a matter of fact Colter had the speed of a deer, and love of life put wings to his feet. Six miles away were the wooded banks of the Jefferson, and he headed for this covert at a pace that dismayed the Indians. Prickly pears tore his feet, but at the end of the fourth mile he had distanced the baying pack except for one swift warrior who gained at every leap. Exerting himself to more furious effort, the panting fugitive burst a blood vessel and, feeling that the end had come, turned that he might meet death face to face. The Indian, no less exhausted, tripped as he threw his spear and Colter, snatching the weapon from the ground, drove it home to the redskin's heart.

Plunging on in obedience to some blind instinct—a staggering, crimson figure—he managed to reach the timber ahead of pursuit, and fell into the water. A beaver dam was near at hand, and with one last shuddering spurt he swam to its blessed concealment. Burying himself in the deepest part, only the tip of his nose exposed, he hid the long day through, the icy stream freezing his very bones, and not until darkness fell was he able to make his escape. Naked, bloodless, and with only roots to feed upon, Colter still refused to die, and after seven terrible days crawled into Lisa's station at the junction of the Bighorn and the Yellowstone—a corpse but for his indomitable eyes.

RICH REWARDS

Clark, never dreaming of the great chance that he was missing, rode along the banks of the Yellowstone to where Billings now stands, and at this point he found trees enough to fashion two canoes.

The party came to the Missouri on August 12, and the plains rang to the joyous shout of men who had feared that they might not see each other again. The reunited band shot downstream,

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When hostile Indians gathered to dispute the march of the staggering band it was Sacajawea that trudged forward, holding her papoose high in token of peace.



Ferocious bears were a constant menace. One huge brute had eight balls through his body before falling dead.

A PAGE FOR THE CHILDREN

TAKE INTEREST IN SISTER NOW WILLIE'S PLAN

Let's Her Share His Fun and No Longer Sends Her Away When He Has Gang About to Play; Betty Appreciates His Kindness and Always Thinks of His Comfort When at Home; Good Plan for Boys.

By WILLIE WINKLE

My mother told me the other day that what I write is supposed to be for boys and girls, but when she reads what I write she thinks it's all for boys. It's just like Mutt and Jeff. For a long time poor little Jeff has to take all the socks from Mutt and then someone writes to Bud Fisher and asks him to give little Jeff a square deal. And then Mutt gets trampled on good and plenty.

I've got a sister named Betty. She's just two years younger than me and she thinks lots about me and I must admit that I like her plenty, but it just happens that lots of times I guess I'm a little bit rough and rude to her. I'm like lots of other boys and want to side-track my sister at times when I shouldn't. I think she shouldn't do some things that I want to do, just because she's a girl, but I must admit that she can run just as fast as I can, can catch a ball, jump, climb rocks and trees and work as good in the garden, but just the same sometimes I don't want her round, yet she's a good sport.

LIKE FREEDOM

I was out to Cordova Bay the other day and saw the girls and boys on the sand bar. The girls seemed just as active as the boys and they could stay in the water longer. My dad says they don't look on girls the same nowadays as they used to. When he was a boy the women were supposed to stay at home and work, but to-day they want to be outside and enjoy themselves. And they

don't want to be all harnessed up in clothes. They like to feel at ease in their clothes like the boys, only more so, I guess.

I decided that I'd try to be a better sport with my sister and to see that she got her turn on the swing, go swimming with us boys and as long as she didn't cry or whimper she could stick with me. I'm beginning to find that she's a real little soldier and takes her bumps without crying. And it's funny the rest of the boys don't mind her now and respect her, but she doesn't want to be considered as a sissy and that she can't do her part.

SWELL

Jimmy Smith, he's in our gang, and he came to me the other day and said: "Ghee, Willie, you're lucky. I wish I had a sister like you. She's sure a swell playmate."

I know Jimmy's right.

And you know it seems different in the house. Betty is different towards me and wants to see that I'm well looked after. Before she goes to bed she always comes over and puts her arms around my neck and kisses me and says: "Thanks for the nice day, brother."

A fellow can't think of the right thing to say like a woman, so I just say: "That's all right, Betty."

But I go to sleep feeling much better, cause here's little Betty thinking so well of me and I know mother and dad like to see us acting this way, better than when I used to be so mean to Betty. I only hope we can grow up this way and really share our playthings and, perhaps, when we get big it'll always be nice to think that Betty's pulling for me and you can bet I'll always be pulling for her.

Baby Hippo Weighs Seventy-five Pounds and Mother Is Very Proud

Is Worth \$3,000, But Would Make Expensive-Pet as Full Grown Hippos Eat Equivalent of Four Sacks of Potatoes at One Sitting; Hippos in Africa Spend Days in Water and Search for Food at Night.



Here is Venus and her baby son, Albert, at the zoo in Memphis, Tennessee. Albert is quite a handful, weighing seventy-five pounds at birth, which is what a normal ten-year-old boy should be. Albert is the seventh child born to Venus and her good looking husband, Adonis, who were captured in Africa and brought to this continent to be placed in a zoo so that boys and girls could get a look at the strange creatures that live in the place called the dark continent. Hippopotamuses are rather hard to get and that is why young Albert is worth \$3,000 at his present age. He will probably be sold to some other zoo as it is rather an expensive job keeping too many hippos in the same zoo.

Hippos are very interesting creatures. They grow very big, measuring between twelve and fourteen feet from the tip of their ugly thick top lip to their funny little tail. They are about five feet tall and their tummies almost touch the ground. Their bodies are about fourteen feet around and their legs are very short, resting upon strange looking feet that have four toes, each of which is like a hoof.

The hippo can store away a huge amount of food in his stomach. It is said that it can consume the equal of six bushels at one sitting, which means about four sacks of potatoes. Now you can see why they do not want too many hippos in a zoo.

The hippos live in rivers and are quite common along the Nile, Egypt's famous waterway. In the daytime they live under the water, sometimes keeping their heads above water, but usually just their nostrils so that they breathe. The hippos can, however, remain completely submerged and walk on the bottom of the river for eight minutes without coming up for air. They are good swimmers and have lots of sport diving.

They go in search of food at night. They like to find a good farm, but if the natives are suspicious they light big fires to act as "scare-crows." Not only do the hippos consume a lot of farm produce but they trample and break down great areas, owing to their size.

The hippo is usually peaceable but the tiny little ears perched on the top of his head are always moving. His eyes are widely separated and are almost as high up as his ears.

The hippo is very dangerous when wounded or defending his young. He bellows violently and it is said that his roar can be heard for a mile. Anything that

gets in his way when he is on the rampage is struck down. Despite his great bulk he moves fast.

Hippos have very thick skins, and perhaps that is why they are not easily offended. Their hides are two inches thick and are hairless.

The hippo is not a garden pet by any means, but boys and girls who are near a big city that has a zoo should always make it a point to see the hippo.

No Big Game Hunters Have Good Word to Say For Wicked Crocodile

Even the big-game hunters of Africa, most of whom are deploring the disappearance of the country's game, have little to say in defence of the crocodile. They are vicious and destructive and valuable animals are liable to wander within reach of a "croc" without observing the latter's presence. Buffalo cannot escape. They are caught in the great jaws and dragged under the water and their bodies stocked in a "larder" under the banks until such time as the crocodile is in need of food. The stories of their long life is questioned by some, but in the interior of one killed was found a head of a kind not seen in the Protectorate for at least 150 years; it was one of those used by the Stuart companies to barter for ivory, gold and slaves. Some indication of age!

Beautiful Villages In Wales Called Paradise

One of Europe's most enchanting motor trips is in wild Wales. Go from Llandudno County or Deganwy through Trefriw and Llandwst to Beetws-y-Coed, thence along the Holyhead road past the Swallow Falls and Capel Curig, under the heights of Tryfan to the gorge of Nant Efrancon.

Of the views of Deganwy somebody said, "if I were doomed to spend the rest of my life behind a single window, I would have that window in breezy, sunny Deganwy."

Trefriw Spa not only has the richest sulphur-iron springs known, but at the junction of the Cramant and Conway valleys, it has a perfect combination of mountain, lake, river and woodland scenery.

Tree-sitters Add Comfort to Their Stay Aloft



In the top picture is shown Jack Richards, fourteen, of Kansas City, Mo., sitting on his perch in a tree in the backyard of his home. Jack believes in certain comfort and took a front seat out of his dad's motor car up and rigged it in the tree. He also took his dog along for company. When the picture was taken he had been aloft for 124 hours. His "retreating" was also being undertaken when this picture was taken. Below are a couple of other tree-sitters with almost a house for their protection. They are Jack Harris, left, and Pat Kirkpatrick, up on a limb in Pat's backyard. Pat is just receiving a bunch of fan mail. They say life isn't so bad up in the tree-tops.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Sunshine Trick

(By HOWARD R. GARIS)

Uncle Wiggily and his muskrat lady housekeeper, Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, were shut up in a very dark closet of the rabbit gentleman's hollow stump bungalow. No, it wasn't because Uncle Wiggily and Nurse Jane had been bad that they were shut in the closet. Do not, if you please, believe that for a moment.

Uncle Wiggily was trying to do a trick and Nurse Jane was sort of helping him, that's why they were in the dark closet. You remember, in the stories before this, I told you how Uncle Wiggily wanted to catch a box full of sunshine that he might take it to the dark cave of a cross old great grandfather bear gentleman to make him happy. The rabbit set a pasteboard box out in the sunshine and, when he thought it was filled, he clapped the cover on quickly and was going to take it to the cave of Old Grim, which was the cross bear's name.

"But suppose we try it, first, in the bungalow dark closet," said Nurse Jane. "Let the sunshine out of the box in the dark closet which is like Old Grim's cave. You can easily get more sunshine if your trick works, but I don't believe it will."

"Oh, yes, it will!" said Uncle Wiggily.

So now, in the dark closet, he took the cover off the box and waited for the sunshine he thought he had caught to come out and make the black place light.

"Well," chuckled Nurse Jane, who was in one corner, "I am waiting! Where is your sunshine, Mr. Longears?"

"Hum! It's sort of funny," said Uncle Wiggily shaking the box and twinkling his pink nose which he could do very well in the dark. "It's funny, but I don't seem to have any sunshine in my box." For the closet was still dark.

"I told you so!" laughed Nurse Jane. "You can't bottle sunshine up in a box, as you can pickles, and let it out when you need it. The best way to make Old Grim happy is to get him to come out of his dark cave and play in the sunshine with Neddie and Beekie Stubtail."

"That has been tried but it will not work," said the rabbit, looking in the dark at his box of sunshine and still hoping some bright rays would come out to light the dark closet. But none did. "No," went on Mr. Longears, "the only way to get Old Grim started is to put some sunshine into his cave. I didn't catch any in this box, but maybe if I took a larger box, or even a bottle—you spoke of a bottle of pickles—"

"Nonsense!" squeaked Nurse Jane as she opened the closet door and let in the light. "You can't bottle sunshine nor yet put it in a box. Old Grim must stop being such a crank and come out of his cave."

"Well, I'm going to try once more," said Uncle Wiggily, who was a persistent old rabbit gentleman, if you know what I mean. He would keep at a thing until he made it work. "I'll try and catch another box of sunshine," he said.

"Don't be silly!" begged Nurse Jane laughing as she skipped out of the closet to fasten a bunch of feathers on her tail and dust the piano.

Uncle Wiggily went out into the bright sunshine with his pasteboard box. He set it down where the beams shone brightest, and once more clapped on the cover, hoping to catch some of those golden gleams. But when again he opened the box in the dark closet, not a ray of light came out.

Uncle Wiggily looked in the hall mirror as he once more hopped out of doors. He noticed, in the looking glass, how brightly his pink nose was twinkling. Then he exclaimed:

THE TINYMITES



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

"Oh, my," cried Clowny. "I'll never last," exclaimed the robust Travel Man. The Tinies laughed aloud. "Oh, we're just full of pep to-day. That's why we hastened on our way," replied one of the Tinies. "We're a very lively crowd."

But, anyway, they stopped their race and all fell in the same slow pace. Soon Carpy said, "Well, mercy me, who is that girl ahead? She has a velvet jacket. Gee, her costume looks real nice to me." The Travel Man just smiled. "Why, she's a vegetable girl," he said.

"That's how all of those girls are dressed. It seems that here, folks think the best of vegetables is cauliflower. That's what she's selling, see? Each morning she starts out to roam and makes a trip from home to home. Folks buy the cauliflowers and cook them, tasty as can be."

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"I wonder why I am so happy?"

"I know how to work the sunshine trick now!"

Soon the rabbit was hopping toward the dark cave of Old Grim, with the box under his paw. Uncle Wiggily met Mr. Twistytail, the pig.

"What have you there?" grunted the pig.

"A box of sunshine to light up Old Grim's dark cave," was the reply.

"Ha! Ha! Don't be silly!" laughed the pig gentleman. But he waddled along with Uncle Wiggily and watched him set down the box, not inside but outside the cave of the cross old bear. The sun shone brightly on the box. Uncle Wiggily took off the cover and presto! All at once a bright ray of sunshine shot out of the box into the cave that was as dark as a coal pocket. The cave was made almost as bright as day, and no wonder. For in the bottom of his box Uncle Wiggily put a piece of looking glass and that had caught the rays of the sun and reflected them brightly into the cave. Out came shuffling cross Old Grim.

"Ha! Ha!" laughed the bear. "I wonder why I am so happy?"

"It's because Uncle Wiggily did the sunshine trick for you," grunted the pig. "Uncle Wiggily couldn't box up sunshine, but it is easy to make it shine into your cave by a looking glass."

"Well, I'm glad he did!" chuckled Old Grim, and after that he was never cross any cat!

more. That's what sunshine is for. So if the roller skate will just slide around the corner and tell the auto to come and drink its gasoline before it goes to sleep, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily's moonlight party.

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Purr of Pussy Moves Chancellor to Raise Allowance For Liver

One day recently, Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer of Great Britain, was pondering over the \$2,500,000,000 budget, when he became aware of a strange presence in his private office. It proved to be a cat, purring contentedly by the open fireplace.

For a moment the most weighty business of the nation was laid aside while Sir Philip searched through a stack of papers on his desk. He finally found what he was seeking and wrote across its face: "Increase in cat's pay approved." Then he once more took up the two-billion-dollar budget.

The incident brought to light the fact that since the time of Cardinal Wolsey, chancellor to King Henry the Eighth, the British treasury has always had an official mouser, on salary. The high cost of liver recently led to the introduction of a bill to increase the cat's allowance. Time and time again, in the lower departments of Britain's finance it was turned down in the interests of economy and was finally put up to the great chief.

What more dramatic than this Titan of finance, reputed icy, bitter, ruthless, inflexible and closer with state funds than a Scot with his bawbies, who could not resist the purr of a cat!

Mother Nature's Curio Shop

CANADA GEESE

FREQUENTLY NEST THEIR EGGS IN OLD OSPREY NESTS, HIGH UP IN THE TREE TOPS.

BLACK BEARS, ONCE ABUNDANT IN THE SOUTHERN CANADIAN, STEPPED IN THE SAME TRACKS OVER AND OVER ALONG THEIR TRAILS UNTIL THEIR FOOT PRINTS WERE SEVERAL INCHES IN DEPTH.



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Stockyards Contribute Remedies In War On Disease

Glands and Extracts From Cattle Are Salvaged and Now Save Many Human Lives

By BRUCE CATON

The squealing pigs and bellowing cattle that go to their doom in droves at the Chicago Stockyards are providing the public with something quite different from the bacon, ham, sirloin steaks, shoe leather and football covers that are usually considered the stockyards' chief products.

They are furnishing the medical profession with medicines of incalculable value, which in the course of a year save many thousands of lives and conserve the health of many millions of people.

Since medical science discovered the importance of the glands in the human organism, and traced the manner in which glandular extracts can be used to combat sickness, the stockyards have become extremely important to the health of the nation.

The removal of glands from cattle, hogs and sheep, and their reduction to medical preparations of vital importance, are now among the chief functions of the great packing houses.

SIX-STORY LABORATORY

There is, for instance, Armour

& Co. A six-story building houses great laboratories where such things as suprarenalin, concentrated liver extract and thyroid preparations are made available for doctors.

An incredible amount of work goes into the preparation of these medicines.

To make one pound of suprarenalin, for example, the glands from 15,000 cattle are needed. For a pound of posterior lobe pituitary substance, 12,000 cattle are required. In the long lines where the carcasses of slaugh-

tered animals pass under the knives of the cutters there are men whose sole duty it is to remove the essential glands.

In the laboratories are thirteen huge vacuum ovens. The glands are placed on trays and passed through these ovens.

Then, dried, the glands are freed from excess fat, powdered and then spread on trays once more, put through another set of ovens. Then they are ready for the chemists, who make them into medicines.

SUPPLY MANY MEDICINES

The number of medicines that come from the stockyards is simply amazing.

Beneath the brain of a steer there is the pituitary gland—a body about the size of a hazelnut. The posterior lobe, about a tenth of the whole, provides an extract that is extremely useful to physicians in childbirth cases.

In the throat is the parathyroid gland, about as big as a lima

bean. From this is made an extract that regulates the amount of calcium in the blood, used in healing wounds and ulcers.

Near this gland is the thyroid gland, whose use in regulating body metabolism, combating goitre and reducing excess weight is famous.

Nearly lies the thymus gland, about the size of a man's fist, from which comes another extract used in medicine.

From the steer's short ribs comes red bone marrow, where red corpuscles for the whole body are made. An extract of this is used in treating anemia. The steer's liver, properly treated, has a kindred use in the treatment of pernicious anemia.

CONTAINS PRICELESS INSULIN

The pancreas, near the liver, contains the priceless insulin.

Above the kidneys are the suprarenal glands, about the size of an ordinary oyster. These

must be removed immediately while they retain the animal heat, and rushed to the laboratory; from them is made suprarenalin, a supremely important heart stimulant.

The hog gives valuable thyroid and pancreas glands. Pepsin is also found in the hog's stomach lining.

From sheep are taken thyroid, pancreas and suprarenal glands. In addition, it has been found that the sheep's intestines provide the best kind of ligatures

for sewing up the human flesh after wounds or operations.

Armour & Co. disposes of its entire output of these remedies to druggists, doctors and hospitals. Officials explain that most of the medicines, while extremely valuable, are very potent and should not be used except under the direction of a physician. It is impossible for the ordinary citizen to buy them—at least as far as Armour is concerned.

ACROSS SAVAGE PEAKS TO THE PACIFIC

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perils and hardship over and rich rewards to come.

At the Mandan villages, a pinprick in the vast prairies, they said good-by to Sacajawea and her papoose, standing lonely on the river bluff as the boats pushed out into the Missouri

once again. Poor little Bird Woman! They did not leave her so much as a bead in token of common dangers and shared struggles. Joyously, triumphantly, the pathfinders sailed away to be petted and adored by a grateful people; Sacajawea remained in a strange land, among alien folk, with only memories to warm her lonely heart.

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One of the little-known angles to the work that goes on in Chicago's stockyards is shown here. These employees in the hospital-like laboratories of Armour & Co. are preparing glands and extracts taken from animals for use as medicine in the treatment of human diseases. The remedies have proved very effective in combating maladies in which there is a deficiency of the required factor in the human system.

Scarlet Pimpernel, Common Saw-wort, and the Hemp-nettle

By Robert Connell

Noted Island Naturalist

AMONG the plants handed in to me this week are three visitors to British Columbia. The first is a little more than welcome. The first is a rather pretty plant with purple flower-heads—it belongs to the Composite family—not unlike in color the so-called Canada thistle and in form a little suggestive of the cornflower. The centre flowers or florets are inclined to be white and this, with their lack of the stiffness so often

found among the thistle group of composites to which it belongs, gives the heads a very pleasing appearance. But if the flowers lack stiffness the same cannot be said for the stems of the plant. They are of a peculiarly wiry and rigid character, so much so that I am sure most people if given one to hold when they were blindfolded would assert the plant was dead. It grows as much as two or three feet in height.

And now for its name. Popularly it is known as the Common Saw-wort, that is, "saw-plant," because of its toothed leaves. Botanically it is called *Serratula tinctoria*. The first or generic name meaning "a little saw," and the second or specific referring to the use of the plant as a dye-stuff, for in olden days it was one of several plants that provided the dyer with yellow. The

woad-wax I described last week was another. Perhaps one of the last plants to be used as a yellow dye was *Rhus typhina*, a species of magnolia, without acetyl, however. It used to be known as "woad." In a century-old book of recipes I have there are many references to woad, but the bark of the dyer's oak or yellow oak, *Quercus tinctoria*, was already replacing it on this continent, of which it is a native, on account of its greater cheapness.

It seems strange that saw-wort should spread so far as this when in Great Britain it is hardly ever found north of the Border and I believe not at all in Ireland.

THE HEMP-NETTLE

Our second visitor whom I wish to introduce is a very troublesome and persistent weed which

fifteen years or so ago seems to have been confined to the neighborhood of New Westminster. It is *Galeopsis tetralix*, or, popularly, the hemp-nettle. It belongs to the Mint, but, like some members of that otherwise pleasantly scented family, it has a rather pungent and obnoxious odor. It has the square stem and opposite leaves of its family, and the flowers, while small, are quite pretty, especially when seen under that indispensable companion of the field botanist, the magnifying-glass. The leaves are strongly toothed and each one has a petiole or stalk. The plant, and especially the stems, is covered with stiff hairs. The most striking peculiarity of the plant, however, is found in the swollen nodes. The nodes are the part of the stem from which the leaves and side-branches spring, and in carnations and pinkies they are very well marked. In the hemp-nettle the stem bulges just below the node or joint. The name "hemp-nettle" refers to its supposed likeness to both hemp and nettle, both plants of the same family and one, quite separate from the Mint. Sometimes the word "dead" is prefixed to show that the hemp-nettle does not sting.

THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL

I expect thousands know "The Scarlet Pimpernel" who do not know the scarlet pimpernel. For the first is the title of Baroness Orczy's most popular novel, the second is the name of a delightful little flower which has crept shyly into this country and is not very commonly seen. Belonging to the primrose family, it has no great likeness to the primrose of our gardens. Its little bright red flowers about the size of a silver five-cent piece have the property of closing at the approach of clouds or dull weather, and so it is familiarly known in Britain as the "poor-man's weather-glass" or the "shepherd's." But as it is also in the habit of closing even on fine days at two o'clock in the afternoon the name of "John-go-to-bed-at-noon" has been given it. One writer says that "no common flower has gathered around it a greater degree of confidence or a large amount of weather-lore than the tiny scarlet pimpernel." And he goes on to say that "whatever the barometer may indicate, if the red pimpernel has its flowers fully expanded in the morning, there will, to a certainty, be no rain of any consequence on

that day, and umbrellas and macintosh may be laid aside."

It had a great reputation in the old witchcraft days as a remedy against wizardry. I do not know who "Mother Bumble" was, but she asserted that "the herb Pimpernel is good to prevent witchcraft," and in gathering it the following charm had to be used in order to ensure full success:

"Herbe Pimpernel, I have thee found,
Growing upon Christ Jesus' ground.
The same gift the Lord Jesus gave unto thee,
When He shed His Blood on the tree.
After us, Pimpernel, and see with me,
And God bless me,
And all that shall wear thee. Amen."

This had to be recited twice a day for fifteen days successively, "fasting in the morning, and in the evening with a full stomach," and then one hoped for the best.

I have said less about the plant itself than I have of the others, because its red flowers will identify it at once. No other wildflower has the shade of orange-red the pimpernel displays. And you will find it in damp places or in rich cultivated soil, a little humble plant with opposite leaves that sit stalkless on the stems.

JUST BECAUSE IT'S WALLPAPER—IT NEED NOT BE PUT ON THE WALL!

By JULIA BLANSHARD

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The name "wall-paper" is just a little misleading. So many people think it is merely paper to put on the wall!

As a matter of fact, the decorative uses of wall-paper are only beginning to be understood. Not that its biggest and best use is not to remake a room, given it, give it meaning in color and design and furnish a background against which the furniture and drapes can appear at their very best. But that it suits innumerable additional uses has been proven by ingenious housewives and good decorators.

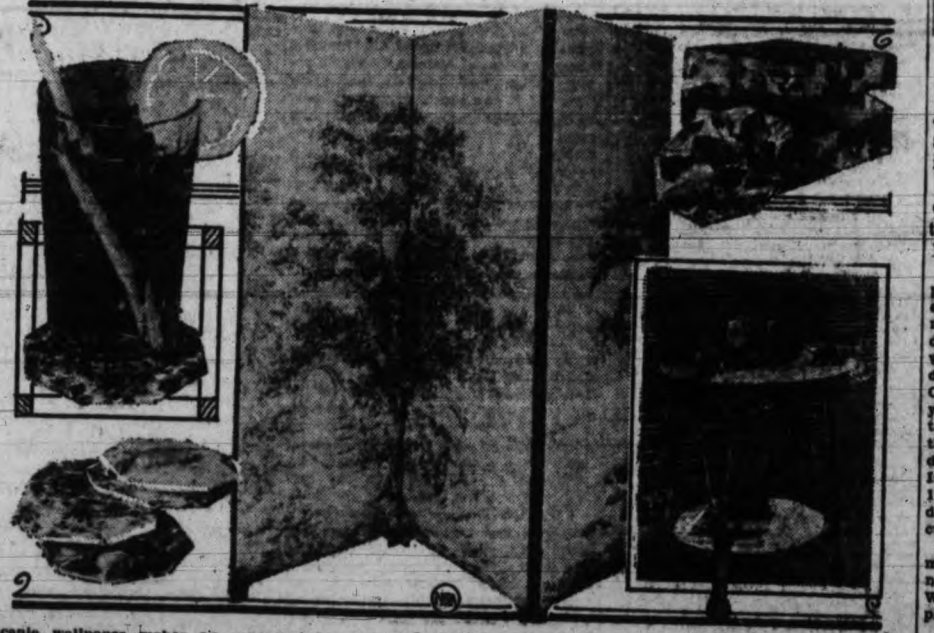
Probably the decorative screen, made out of scenic wall-paper, is one of the best illustrations. They are colorful, they furnish a much-needed vista, they bring in the outdoors. You can make a jolly screen for the children's room of romping figures at play. You can make a dignified addition of beauty for the living room with a water-scene paper, a garden, a cool lane of trees.

DECORATIVE FOR DOORS

Next in importance I would list the use of a bit of toile de Jouy paper to decorate plain doors in rooms painted neutral tones, which you can match up with cut-out for plain colored beds, dressing tables, chairs. Paste the medallions all on, shellac over them. Presto, the room takes on gaiety, floral beauty, femininity.

I know a woman who had a drab apartment with one window of her living room looking out on a dismal tenement. The room she lightened by cherry creamy walls, the windows on the front with cream glass curtains and pretty chinks over-drapes; and for that outlook on the dismal court, she pasted a bit of scenic wall-paper, put a window box of ivy under it and the light came through to cheer the room while the view was entirely hidden. Successful? Everybody commented on it!

Left-over floral designs of paper, or modernistic paper, can be turned to good use to cover old hat boxes to make a perfect bedroom closet ensemble which is pretty enough to impress the most fastidious guest. The cost of materials is nil, or perhaps a little glue and shellac, for it is well to paint over the surfaces with shellac to make them harder to prevent tearing and also make them easier to keep clean, since you can wipe shellac off with a damp cloth. Waste paper boxes, lamp shades, desk pads, a lot of ornamental odds and ends can be made of



Scenic wallpaper makes an ornamental screen (center) that would add a distinctive note to any room. Left-over paper in modernistic designs will lend an ensemble effect to boxes big and small (upper right) and porch "fence" in summer. A porch table (lower right), and other furniture as well, may be brightened by the use of gaily colored paper.

a part of a roll left over from the living room wall-paper.

Still other uses that wall-paper will serve include making coasters for the outdoor dining porch. Cover cardboard neatly, paste in the paper, paint over in light green, or just shellac them and there you are, with no cost at all.

You can cover your old worn-out and rickety porch table with wall-paper, and when it is glued down you can paint the whole thing a gay tone, and the design of the paper shining through will delight you. Chairs for the porch can be decorated in the same manner.

ATOP THE FIREPLACE, TOO

For bigger and better uses, wall-paper can be made to serve admirably for an over-the-fireplace decoration. Get a classic design, one the size of a painting, and one that has colors that harmonize with your chairs, rugs, drapes. When walls are plain color, as

so many living-room walls are now, adays, this kind of mantel decoration is lovely. Halls, too, may have a single handsome wall-paper picture panel, at small cost and at great advantage.

All these things need cost practically nothing. They are just the out-

come of experimenting by clever housekeepers who believe in making the home a shrine of beauty to enrich the lives of the family. They are well worth the effort they take. For they have been tried and have been proved artistic.

THIS NEW MOVIE STAR IS MAN OF WIDE OPEN SPACES

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that was made out in the open, George loved it and as a result gave a remarkable performance.

The only part of his life so far that has not been influenced in some way or other by the call of the wild was the time he used to spend around San Francisco's police station. George's father, Daniel O'Brien, was chief of police in San Francisco for many years. He used to go on raids with the vice squad and spent considerable time studying characters who were brought into the station, charged with almost every conceivable crime.

Michelson's New Measurement of Light Speed May Change Distances of Sun and Stars

By DON ROBERTS

FOR FIFTY years Dr. Albert A. Michelson, internationally known scientist, has studied the problem of light and now, at the extensive Irvine Ranch near Santa Ana, Cal., he is concluding his most famous achievement—the calculation of light's speed. In 1926 Dr. Michelson performed the seemingly impossible feat of measuring this speed and arrived then at the figure accepted throughout the world—299,796 kilometers a second, or, roughly, 186,284 miles a second.

Since all solar distances are computed on the speed of light, one interesting effect of the famous scientist's new researches may be to change the distances of the sun and the stars as we now know them. For example, the distance to the nearest star (Alpha Centauri) is four and one-half light years, or 25,000,000,000 miles, and thus even the slightest correction in the speed of light might change this distance by many millions of miles. It is even possible that a change of 1,000 miles or so might be made in the distance to the sun, which is now calculated at 93,000,000 miles.

The present figure of 299,796 kilometers a second, says Dr. Michelson, is not more than fifty kilometers off. Why, then, you might ask, does the physicist return to his tests?

First, he wishes to check his previous results because he thinks they were too simply arrived at—certainly a paradoxical situation! And second—this, too, reveals the passion for truth of the scientific mind—Dr. Michelson was not certain of the distance over which the light beam was measured in his flight.

The tests were conducted by flashing light beams between two peaks: near Los Angeles, Mount Wilson and Mount Baldy, twenty-two miles apart. Before Dr. Michelson arrived, the

United States coast and geodetic survey spent weeks in calculating an exact twenty-two miles, and Dr. Michelson was satisfied with their statement that the measurements were correct.

But when—if ever—the world of science asks "Did you measure the distance yourself?" the doctor will not be able to boast that he did—hence the construction of a 440,000 iron tube one mile long near here and the second test.

Although seemingly a tremendous problem in mathematics, Dr. Michelson asserts there is little of complexity to his experiments.

USES MIRRORS

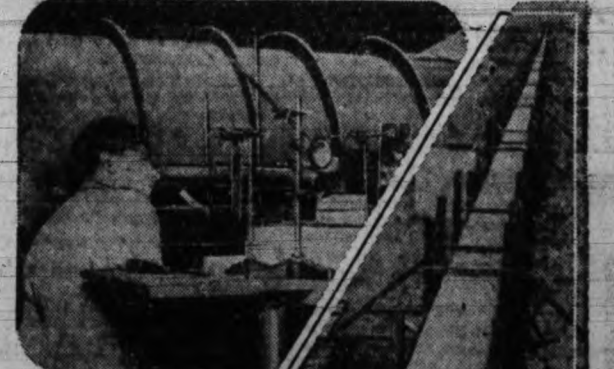
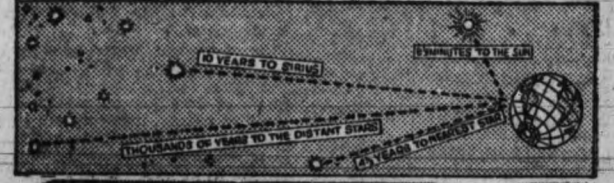
A beam of light races up and down the mile-long tube. It flashes back and forth on revolving mirrors set inside the tube, making in all five round trips—or ten miles.

Emerging from the tube it is caught again on the revolving mirror. The mile between his mirrors can be measured with an error of less than one-sixteenth of an inch and can be checked with ease.

Prior to Dr. Michelson's earlier research, light speed was measured by the calculated distance of some astral body—such as the sun. Now this procedure is reversed and the distance of stars, planets and such is measured by the light speed formula, which increases accuracy greatly.

"My formula is correct within one part in 200,000, approximately. The previous measure was accurate within about one part in 3,000," explained Dr. Michelson.

Three factors enter into the observations: the mirrors, the intervals at which the tests are made and the observers. I do not plan to make any of the tests myself, and probably will be directly connected with the experiments only if my assistants get into trouble.



These pictures show Dr. Michelson and the mile-long vacuum tube through which a beam of light will be projected in order to check the speed at which light travels. The chart above shows the number of years required for light to travel from the earth to various stars, assuming that light travels at a speed of 186,284 miles a second.

Week-end Cables and Special Dispatches From Across the Atlantic

FRANCE MAY BUILD CANAL LINKING TWO OCEANS

PLANT TO JOIN ATLANTIC AND MEDITERRANEAN

It Would Shorten Trade Routes and Aid in Defence of Both Coasts

Disappointed in Other Directions, French Turn to New Security Scheme

Special Dispatch to The Victoria Times
Paris, Aug. 2.—Recent international conferences for security and economic expansion have been so discouraging for the French people that lively agitation has developed for the construction of the Two-seas Canal, a waterway linking the Atlantic, from Bordeaux, with the Mediterranean.

Demands are being made to the government to do something about this great work, and the press, particularly in the southern provinces, is colorfully picturing the enormous advantage to France, in security and economic prosperity, if it could be achieved.

TUNNEL LINKING FRANCE AND ENGLAND

The latest discouragement to French enterprise came with the refusal of the British Labor Government to recommend the scheme of a channel tunnel linking France and England. France is practically undivided in favor of a channel tunnel, but can do nothing about it as long as England, for financial and strategic reasons, refuses to co-operate.

The London Naval Conference was another disappointment for France, leaving little ground for hope and security under the present disarmament scheme. France, like the United States—only on a much smaller scale—is ever mindful that it has two coasts to protect. Her Atlantic and Mediterranean ports can only be reached through Gibraltar, as once the American Atlantic and Pacific ports could only be reached by water around the Horn. The proposed Two-seas Canal would be for France what the Panama Canal has become for the United States.

With such "passageway" French naval units could not off 1,600 miles in moving from Bordeaux to Marseilles and not have to worry about the straits of Gibraltar being blocked, and thus isolating two naval sections, in time of an international crisis. Communication with her colonies in North Africa and the East could be cut down by days; in fact, her entire position in the Mediterranean would be enormously strengthened. It is a secret that French fears rest chiefly in the Mediterranean, yet the Atlantic coastline cannot be left unguarded.

MEANS PROSPERITY TO SOUTH

Sound equilibrium within the country by arresting the increasing exodus from the south to the north of France, and thereby counterbalancing foreign influence in the south.

Industrially it means employment of 60,000 workers over a period of several years.

Economically it means the growth and prosperity of cities in the south, flourishing ports, new industrial centers and vast areas enriched by irrigation and made into a fairland with moderate climate and healthy business. A recurrence of the disastrous floods of last year which devastated nearly a score of districts of the valley would be impossible.

The canal would be the shortest route between Scandinavian, German, Dutch and French Atlantic ports to the Mediterranean ports and with the east through the Suez Canal. The Two-seas Canal would, in fact, be a continuation of the Suez, and it is estimated here that between one-half and two-thirds of all trade now passing through Gibraltar would be diverted to the French canal.

And finally, French prestige would come into its own again.

AN OLD PLAN REVIVED

It is little wonder that, with so many disappointments since the war, the imagination of the French people is being more and more gripped by the canal scheme. This dream is not new. It can be traced back to the days of Louis XV and the idea was again revived in 1862 by the great engineer, Riquarts, but it was considered fantastic. During the last twenty years of the nineteenth century several concrete schemes were submitted and voluminous reports filed. In 1886 a private company considering the proposition, calculated the cost at \$140,000,000, but to-day it would probably cost double that amount. Various governments and experts approved the scheme and in 1905 a new technical committee was appointed to make a complete survey. The war

Daughter of Titled Family Is to Wed Former Butler



The romance of Miss Gytha Stourton, above, great-granddaughter of the fourteenth Duke of Norfolk, and Fioravanti del Agnese, Italian butler to Baron Esme Howard when he was British Ambassador to the United States, has just been revealed. She is reported to have asked for Great Britain to win her family's consent to their marriage.

Air To Furnish Synthetic Fuel And Future Food

London, Aug. 2.—The prophecy of synthetic production of fuel from the air and the ultimate greatly increased production of the world's raw materials from air, water, soil and the sun were made by Dr. Herbert Levinstein in his presidential address to the Society of Chemical Industry at its annual meeting in Birmingham to-day.

He predicted that the air, from which nitrogen is now synthetically obtained, might also supply synthetic fuel in place of coal.

Dr. Levinstein argued that nations threatened with starvation would fight for food supplies, and that war or peace in the future might depend upon the success of chemistry in increasing the world's food supplies.

It was becoming a matter no longer of choice, but of necessity, he said, for the human race to learn to use the air, soil and sun to the best advantage, to make the earth more productive of food and raw materials.

After referring to the achievement of producing synthetic nitrogen, Dr. Levinstein said the next step was to transform another constituent of the air—carbonic acid—without intervention of the plant and thus get, without the interval of the geological age, the raw materials now obtained from coal. Complete reduction of carbonic

acid to methane (coal gas) had in fact been accomplished, he declared.

"It certainly will not be long," he continued, "before methane becomes a valuable raw material of the chemical industry. It can, in turn, be almost completely converted in an oven into acetylene and acetylene can be polymerized into a tar about half of which consists of benzene. Thus we can obtain by the synthetic instead of the geological route direct access to a new source of products obtained from coal."

"Our available raw material thus becomes inexhaustible, for carbonic acid exists in balanced quantities in the atmosphere."

In further support of the necessity of producing synthetic fuel, Dr. Levinstein prophesied that "another ten or fifteen generations will see the exhaustion of the world's principal deposits."

He then turned to possible future world struggles, referring to "two chief competitions for the world's acreage—production of food and production of timber (cellulose). Continuing, he declared that "long before there is any actual world shortage, acute problems of great difficulty will arise between nations that have enough food and timber and those that have not. What is the rest of the world going to do with people who own large tracts of earth and will cultivate property, neither forests nor fields, people who own lands that can feed us but which, by their idleness, ignorance, poverty and selfishness, do not feed more than themselves? What is to be done with people who multiply more rapidly than we do, and in multiplying increase their appetites as well as their numbers?"

"Here are some problems for the League of Nations. On their solution may depend peace or war in a generation or two."

From Bordeaux to the Mediterranean is about 230 miles, and the canal would have to be some 50 to 100 miles longer. Although the engineering problems are unquestionably great, they are not considered by experts to be formidable.

In the light of present science these difficulties would probably prove very much less than those encountered in the construction of the Panama Canal.

The financial problem is more troublesome at the present. A great amount of money would have to be raised and this requires education of the people to the practical nature of the scheme and the soundness of the investment. This is what is now being attempted and many authorities unhesitatingly say that the Two-seas Canal should be just as good an investment, if not better, than the Suez Canal.

PRINCE TO GIVE BACHELOR PARTIES AT COUNTRY HOUSE

London, Aug. 2.—The Prince of Wales is so delighted with his new country home at Port-Belvedere that he does not want to leave it. He proposes to entertain more than formerly but most of his parties will be composed of bachelor friends. Later on the King and Queen will stay with him, but no arrangements for this visit have yet been concluded. The Prince when at home is getting as unconventional as King Boris.

Great German Plane To Attempt Flight Across Atlantic This Month

KING OF ITALY'S COUSIN BEGS FOR BREAD

Girl Who Saved Rome For Italy Suffers as Career Nears End

Bella Rosina's Descendants in Dire Want, as King Haughtily Scorns Appeals

Milan, Aug. 2.—When a cousin of the King cannot find work, is down to her last cent and talks of suicide, it is at least some unusual note to the chorus of unemployment discussion now rife in Italy.

Nice de Simone da Camino declares that appeals for work for her husband, made to her cousin Victor Emmanuel III, to the government and to the church have been met with the reply that "in these times nothing can be found." Nor are passports given to Italians desiring to hunt work outside Italy.

"If this is true, that there is no work in Italy, then before my children starve I want the outside world to know about it," she declares. Their small apartment in the town of Caluso d'Adda, in the Alps, the beds have gone to the pawnshop. But tucked on the wall are old photographs of royalty, some unknown so far in public prints, and in packages are a few family souvenirs bearing royal crests.

In the past three years work in Italy has got scarcer and scarcer. Nice da Camino's husband, Othmaro da Camino, is an impoverished noble whose father left his fortune to philanthropy. After serving through the war, he came back to business which turned out badly—not surprising in view of Italian general conditions.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN ITALY

Bankruptcies in Italy, according to the government statistics, now average over 1,000 a month, or more than those of Germany and England lumped together. And the Italian business man finds no consolation in the unemployment in industrial classes.

Nice da Camino, a large, strong woman, who has worked hard all her life, and is going to make a protest, says she is going to the islands for it.

"It is difficult here," her story is not news that any Italian paper would be permitted to print, as she has heard.

"Then I sent letters to papers I had heard of abroad." The letters came back filled with polite but cold refusals. The King's cousin, the Duke of Aosta, who is a monarchist, was the only one who answered. He said he would try to get her to the islands for it.

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DO-X TO CARRY 67 PERSONS; 12 MOTORS GIVES 6,300 H.P.



A former naval ace, Lieut. C. H. Schildhauer, upper left, will guide the giant German plane, the DO-X, lower left, on its proposed flight across the Atlantic Ocean this month. The map, upper right, shows the proposed course of the plane, and, at right, is pictured Captain F. Christensen, who will command the flight.

Special Dispatch to The Victoria Times

Friedrichshafen, Germany, Aug. 2.—While final preparations are being made here for the Atlantic flight of the giant DO-X, its long voyage next month promises to be almost as great a triumph for aviation as for engineering skill.

Designed nearly six years ago and completed in July, 1929, the plane finally was fitted with twelve Jupiter motors delivering a total of 6,300 horsepower. Original plans called for only seven motors giving 4,200 horsepower, but the structural strength of the DO-X permitted the installation of twelve instead, mounted in pairs atop the huge wing.

NAVIGATED BY AMERICAN

The newly-installed Curtiss Conqueror motors will deliver the same power as the original Jupiters. Engineers decided that it would be possible to install motors of 850 to 1,000 horsepower each, but Dr. Claudius Dornier, designer of the craft, decided in favor of a smaller and more reliable type. The wing has been practically rebuilt to conform to their performance.

Lieut. C. H. "Dutch" Schildhauer, another of the many highly-skilled "United States naval pilots who resigned their commissions to enter commercial flying, will be navigating officer of the DO-X and a pilot. He has arranged for the installation of new instruments on the control board. Schildhauer, now a representative of the Dornier Company of America, once held the flight endurance record of the world.

He pointed out that from a practical standpoint the ocean flight of the DO-X in August probably will be the most important of all heavier-than-air attempts, since experience has shown that ordinary light planes could never maintain a schedule, carry much of a payload, or even fly with any certainty across the Atlantic.

"The DO-X is, so very large that it can land and drift in a rough sea with more safety than any other seaplane," he said. "It will be adequately manned, and navigated like an ocean liner. If motor trouble should be encountered, mechanics can take care of it while we're in flight."

LIKE AN OCEAN LINER

Schildhauer's comparison of the DO-X was not inept. It offers more comforts to passengers than any airplane ever built except, perhaps, the Graf Zeppelin, and England's new dirigible, the Dornier seaplane, however, even has two advantages over these monsters—it has been equipped with a smoking room (verboden on the Zeppelin), and a bar where passengers may brace themselves against North Atlantic blasts.

The plane is handled somewhat like a liner, too. The pilot never needs to check on the performance of his motors, although a light signal system informs him when one or more of them are not operating. They are supervised from a regular engine room controlled by a chief engineer, and mounted in housings, or nacelles, which permit any pair to be cut out during flight so mechanics may make adjustments.

On the ship's bridge, or control room, are two throttles, one for each of the six motors. Two tachometers shows the average speed of the motors, which carry the craft at 125 to 130 miles an hour, and, with a load of

more than thirty-eight tons, have lifted her from the water at Lake Constance, near here, in sixty-five seconds. That included fuel, oil, full crew, passengers and payload of 44,000 pounds. The total weight, in flight, was 103,621 pounds.

EXPENSIVE TO OPERATE

The giant craft naturally is quite expensive to operate. Depending on the distance flown without intermediate landings, the cost is figured at \$5.75 to \$6.94 a mile. This expense seems smaller, however, with the realization that it represents only about seventy-six cents per ton.

Sixty-seven persons, including passengers and crew, are expected to be aboard the DO-X when she takes off from Lake Constance after the completion of preliminary tests. The trip will include stops at Javea, France; Lisbon, Spain; the Azores; Islanda, Bermuda and New York. Captain F. Christensen, former German war ace and merchant marine captain, will be in command of the flight.

Piloting the huge ship, which at one time set a record by taking aloft 105 persons, is quite an easy matter, according to Lieutenant Schildhauer. With engineers watching the motors, and navigators designating direction and altitude, there is little for the pilot to do.

The bottom of the hull has a metal step, or airfoil, like those on fast motor boats, and the ship lifts itself on these before completely leaving the water. Passenger quarters are within the hull on the main deck, and include a dining-room, galley, bar and smoking-room in addition to the cabins. The lower, smaller deck accommodates fuel tank and storage space, and the top deck has quarters for the pilots, engineers and mechanics.

TITLED GUARDSMAN TO BE CAVE MAN

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London, Aug. 2.—Pageants are in full swing again, and Liverpool, in its "Ball Pageant," is counting on an unusual attraction.

Mr. Charles Markham, a personable young man of six-foot-six, has consented to become the "Cave Man" for the week of the performance. He is an old Liverpool Guardsman and looks it. He has, moreover, seen something of the post-war Europe's inside workings as an attaché at Cairo and with the High Commission in South Russia.

LADY RHONDDA SAYS IT WON'T BE LONG NOW

Declares House of Lords Die-hards Can't Keep Private Club Much Longer

Birkenhead Objects to Use of Word "Tripe" Being Moved to Upper Chamber

London, Aug. 2.—Only four votes defeated the latest attempt of nineteen women peers in their own right to take their place in the House of Lords on an equal footing with their fellow peers.

This renewed effort to overcome the conservative and anti-feminist attitude of the majority of Great Britain's hereditary legislators was initiated in the House of Lords last month, when Lord Astor moved the resolution that, "in view of the attainment of women to full enfranchisement to membership in the House of Commons and to cabinet and ministerial rank in His Majesty's Government, this House would welcome a measure admitting them to membership on the same terms as men."

Then began a heated debate for and against, with rows of interested peers looking down the floor from their special galleries on either side of the chamber.

LORD ASTOR FOR IT

"When I raised this question before," continued Lord Astor, "some of the noble Lords objected on the ground that women's point of view is different from man's. It is for that very reason that I favor the proposal. On previous occasions certain noble Lords spoke as though they were in effect saying that because we were not a club deciding whether to admit or blackball persons. Here we are dealing with a great question in political principle and not the question of whether we like or dislike certain persons."

Lord Hanworth, Master of the Rolls, opposed the motion on constitutional and legal grounds. Lord Midleton, who had been speaking in the House of Commons, said it was a question of the disparity already existing between political parties in the House of Lords and strengthened the Tories. He said he had been asked to support the motion, but he would not do so. Lord Buckmaster, Lord Dickinson, Lord Cecil and Lord Parmoor spoke in favor of the motion.

BIRKENHEAD HANNERS IT

Lord Birkenhead, whose opposition had such damning effect on the cause of women when the subject was first debated, rallied the wavering Liberal members against the motion by his reiterated opposition to Lord Astor's proposal to support the motion on an equal footing of banter and seriousness.

"I am not able to share the conviction that it is necessary to say that there is a great advantage to the State," he declared. "I read an article recently by a lady who wrote for the press, 'What I have thought, and I have always had a low opinion of it.'"

"I frequently visit the House of Commons, and it is true to say that the presence of ladies and their intervention in debates in that chamber improved the quality of oratory, then oratory must have been worse in the past than I have thought, and I have always had a low opinion of it."

"For reprieve to be considered successful, it is necessary for some one to ejaculate the word 'tripe.' I don't suppose that your Lordships will appreciate the relevancy of that expression to any debate in which you are engaged unless it has to do with the enthralls of your enemies."

Outlining what he considers the legal reasons for his opposition, Lord Birkenhead continued: "It has been said that there is no office, even the highest, which can't, under existing conditions, be held by women. I would be very much surprised to hear that if circumstances otherwise permitted, a woman could be Archbishop of Canterbury. There are notorious differences between the sexes in several matters."

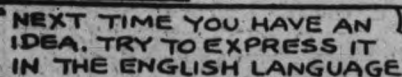
"Political life is extremely strenuous. I don't think that women could discharge duties of Speaker or Chairman of committees without considerable peril to themselves and some risk to the high functions which are committed to them. I have seen women away from the history of our long past and import into our midst ladies who, however agreeable their visit may be, can only make the men wish to keep their club to themselves as long as possible."

"Nevertheless there are definite signs that the House of Lords is coming into line with public opinion. To be beaten by only four votes is very encouraging. I am pleased with the attitude of the labor party. As Lord Parmoor said, they solidly favor this reform. I notice, however, that some Liberal peers went into the wrong lobby."

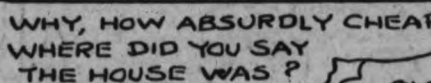
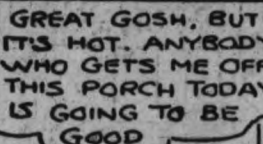
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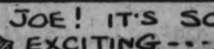
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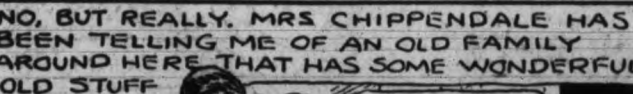
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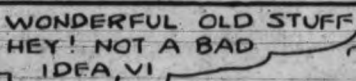
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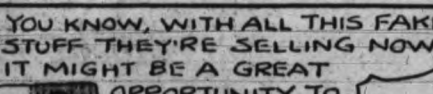
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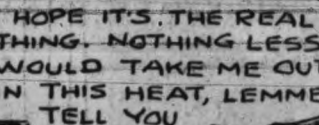
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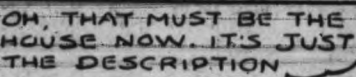
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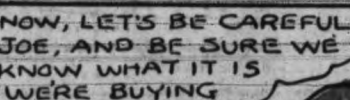
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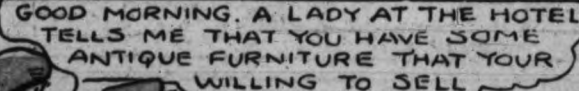
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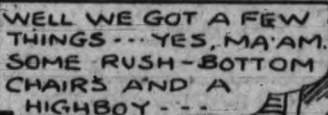
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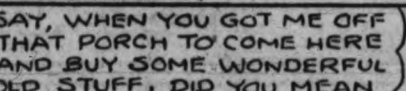


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WHY, I
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A COLONIAL HIGHBOY,
STUPID! WHAT AIL'S
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WHY, OF COURSE.
WHAT ELSE DID
YOU THINK
I MEANT?

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YOU ARE SURE
THIS HAT AND
TIE ARE THE
LATEST AND
MOST EXCLU-
SIVE IN STYLE?

POSITIVELY!
IN FACT ONLY
A FEW MEN
CAN WEAR
THAT STYLE
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WELL JUST
WAIT UNTIL
ROSIE
SEES ME
IN THIS
MAKE-UP

HUM! THERE'S
A HAT AND TIE
JUST LIKE
MINE.

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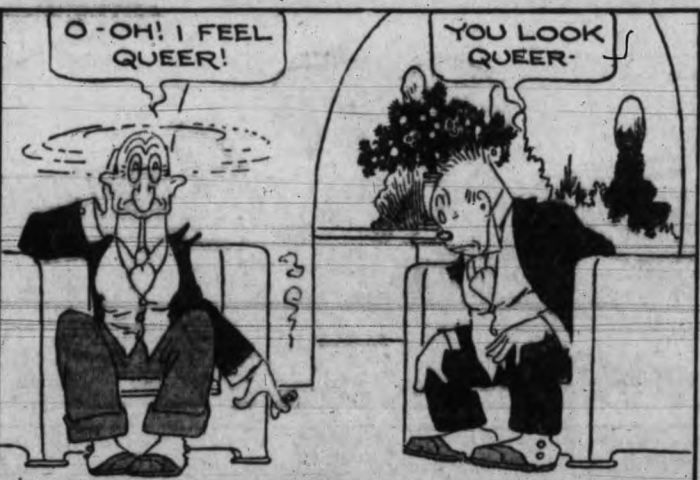
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IS THE MATTER?
YOU HAVE NO
HAT OR TIE.

OH! I LOST MY
HAT AND I
FORGOT TO
PUT ON A TIE.

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